# Response to Resistance Report Key West Police Department

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×	When any person complains of									
Ш	Discharge of firearm in the line				×.					
	2. Date: 2/17/22	3. Time: 13:50	4. Location: Duck A		cident type: Warrant Arrest					
F	6. Resistance Level	7. Explanation	8. <u>Re</u> :	sponse Option	9. <u>Explanation</u>					
	Passive:			Physical Control						
NCIDENT	Active:	Fled on foot	Non-lethal Weapon Taser with probes							
_	Aggressive:			Deadly Force						
	Deadly Force:									
	10. Last Name: Francois		11. First: Alexander	12. Ra	nce: B 13. Sex: M					
	<b>14. DOB:</b> 7/16/97		15. Height: 5'11"		e <i>ight:</i> 140					
	17. Did you observe the sub				"YES", complete sections 18-22					
			e influence of controlle		tionally / mentally disturbed					
	19. Injuries: No Evid	<del></del>			as on charts in Section 22 )					
	20. Photographed: No	Yes 21. Treated:		EMT/Paramedic on	scene  Hospital  Detention					
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	22. Anterior View	77	Posterior V	iew						
	23. Officer: Vazquez, Billy	24. Race: W	V 25. Sex: M 2	6. Age: 32 27. Height:	5'9" <b>28. Weight:</b> 170					
	29. Duty Status: On-duty	Off-duty Extr	ra duty employment	Uniformed 🛛 Plain	clothes 30. Yrs Exp:					
	31. Injuries: No Devid	ent Alleged (If E	Evident or Alleged, des	scribe and indicate area	as on charts in Section 35)					
	32. Photographed: No	Yes 33. Treated	d:⊠No⊡Yes By	: EMT/Paramedic	on scene Hospital					
	34. Response option used b	y this officer: (If TAS	SER®, also reference	e line number from T	ASER® section)					
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	36. TASER® device serial # X120059DH	37. TASER® device serial #										
	TASER®Cam serial # V21002AVN	TASER®Cam serial #										
	Cartridge 1 serial # C41076Y6C	Cartridge 1 serial #										
>	Cartridge 2 serial # N/A	Cartridge 2 serial #										
ONLY	Number of cycles: 1	Number of cycles:										
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ñ	Did probes penetrate skin: ⊠ Yes ☐ No	Did probes penetrate skin: ☐ Yes ☐ N										
TASER USE	Target distance at probe launch: 20'	Target distance at probe launch:										
Ι	Distance between probes: 2'	Distance between probes:										
	Probes removed by (name): Det. A. Hudson	Probes removed by (name):										
	Device downloaded by: Sgt. B. Vazquez	Device downloaded by:										
		☐ 38. Check and list any additional TASER® devices, cartridges or details in the incident description section.										
REPORT	39. Offense/Incident Report and/or Warrant Affidavit must include:											
	40. Notified Date: 2/17/22	41. Time: 1350 hrs.										
	42. Did you respond to the scene:	s (If "No", explain why)										
	43. Did you watch all relevant videos associated with the	he use of force?  No XYes (If "No", exp	plain why)									
	44. Did you meet with the Officer(s): No Yes (If "No", explain why)											
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VISOR' S INQUIRY	45. During your review did you find any potential policy violations or training issues associated with the incident?  No Yes (If "Yes," list below)											
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SUPER	46. Were you able to locate any independent witnesses	S: No Yes (If "Yes," list below)  Address	Phone Number									
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	47. Is further review recommended: No Yes FORWARD COMPLETED ORIGINAL REPORT TO INTERNAL AFFAIRS	LT.B. LARIZ B. 2705	2/17/22									
	50. Did the review of this incident conclude that use	48. Preparing Supervisor's Signature / ID	49. Date									
<u>با</u>	of force was in compliance with Departmental											
INT. AFF.	policy? No Yes If "No", complete section 51)	51. Signature of Internal Affairs Inspector	52. Date									
	53. If section 48 is "No" record the Professional Standa	ards Control Number: 54. Date	te Entered:									

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## **INCIDENT/INVESTIGATION REPORT**

Key West Police Department

Case # 22-001001

Statu	L=	Lost	S = Stolen  R = R	ecovered D = Dam	naged $Z = Seized$ $B = Burned$ $C = Counterfeit / B$	Forged F = Found							
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	Assisting Officers  HUDSON, A.J. (3940), LARIZ, J.B. (2705), CONATY, J.T. (3755), SIRACUSE, M.W. (3366)												

Suspect Hate / Bias Motivated:

NARRATIVE			

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On February 17th 2022, at about 1350 hours, Det. Hudson and I, Det. Sgt. Vazquez were leaving a police related call at 1300 15th CT. We were driving an unmarked black rental van traveling east through the Poinciana trailer park. As we approached the intersection of the trailer park and West Isle apartments, we observed a wanted subject known to us as Alexander Francois, walking south through the west Isle parking lot. Francois was walking a white Pitbull on a leash while talking on the phone.

Note: Det. Hudson and I were aware that Francois had recently posted on social media a post/picture where Francois was in possession of a handgun and therefore was likely to be armed. I knew Francois was arrested in the recent past for carrying a concealed weapon. I knew Francois was a convicted felon. I also knew that Francois had two active VOP warrants, was a flight risk and was a suspect in two ongoing KWPD narcotic sales, 21-5791 and 21-7093. Francois also would try to conceal his identity by wearing a beanie and a medical face mask.

Det. Hudson and I stopped the van, and immediately donned our clearly marked black Police vest. I radioed dispatch letting them know we were about to make contact with a wanted subject. I drove out of the parking lot of West Isle and began to travel westbound on Duck Avenue. Francois was walking on the sidewalk of Duck Ave, also traveling west. I immediately pulled our van up to Francois. As I opened the driver's door, Francois looked directly at me, turned his body, and began to flee on foot traveling eastbound on the sidewalk. Francois also let go of the dog leash attached to his Pitbull. I immediately gave chase on foot. It was clear Francois was fleeing and was possibly armed. I removed my department issued TASER X26P and deployed it. The probes struck Francois in the back of the head and the lower back area. The probes achieved Nuero Muscular Incapacitation, causing Francois to fall face first from a running position. I immediately gained the distance between Francois and I. I gave loud verbal commands for Francois to place his hands behind his back. Det. Hudson arrived on foot to assist and gained control of Francois's upper torso area. I placed Francois in handcuffs without further incident. I immediately called for an ambulance to respond to the scene.

Once Francois was handcuffed, Det. Hudson and I placed Francois into a seated position. Francois appeared to be bleeding heavily from the nose, and eye area. Ofc. Tellier arrived on scene to assist. Ofc. Tellier was able to use his department issued first aid kit to render aid. Rescue responded shortly after and took over medical care. Francois was transported to LKMC for further treatment.

I walked back to the van to decontaminate.

Key West Police Department

Victim

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A few moments later, Det. Hudson told me he located a loaded Taurus 9mm handgun from Francois` front center waist band. The gun had a loaded 10 round magazine with one Hollow point round in the chamber. Francois also had 7.1 grams of FTP marijuana on his person.

Once at LKMC, Francois was flown to Kendall Regional hospital for further treatment, and is currently in stable condition.

Using Law enforcement resources, I confirmed Francois is registered as a convicted Felon as of December 12th, 2019.

The Instagram post/picture of François in possession of the firearm was uploaded to evidence.com by Det. Hudson.

I will be obtaining an arrest warrant for Francois.

Reporting Officer: VAZQUEZ, BILLY R CS3NC

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BWC activated.

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Reporting Officer: VAZQUEZ, BILLY  $R\_CS3NC$ 

## **Incident Report Suspect List**

Key West Police Department

OCA: 22-001001

Name (Last, First, Middle)  FRANCOIS, ALEXANDER  Business Address NONE, NONE							nown As			393	Home Address 393 23RD ST OCEAN - 4 MARATHON, FL 33050		
DOB	Age	Race	Sex	Eth	Hgt	Wgt	Hair	Eye	Skin	Drive	r's License / State.		
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## **Incident Report Related Property List**

Key West Police Department

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## CASE SUPPLEMENTAL REPORT

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Investigator: CONATY, J. T. Date / Time: 02/17/22 16:50:30, Thursday

Supervisor: VAZQUEZ, B. Supervisor Review Date / Time: 02/25/22 05:23:35, Friday

Contact: Reference: General Supplemental Report

On February 17, 2022 at approximately 1350 hours, I (Detective Jay Conaty) responded to the area of West Isle Club Apartments (3333 Duck Avenue) in regards to a wanted person.

Detective Sergeant Vazquez informed us on the radio that a black male (identified as Alexander Francois) was walking near West Isle Club Apartments and that he had active arrest warrants.

I drove into the western-most entrance of West Isle Club toward 15th Ct. driving north. I noticed a black male with a white dog walking south toward Duck Avenue. As I pulled into a parking spot, the male turned back to look at my patrol vehicle.

While in the parking spot, I started to put on my vest that was labeled "POLICE" on the front and back. Before my vest was on, I heard Detective Sergeant Vazquez say that he tased the suspect and requested rescue.

I responded to the area of Duck Avenue and 15th Street to assist. I attempted to get Francois' dog to come to me and Officer Victor Arguello arrived to assist. Officer Arguello eventually gained control of Francois' dog.

I noticed Detective Hudson removed a small pistol from Francois' person.

Francois was bleeding from the face and Rescue 3 responded. Francois was transported to Lower Keys Medical Center by Rescue 3, and I rode with them to the hospital.

I remained with Francois at the hospital until relieved by Officer Arguello.

My BWC was activated for this event.

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Investigator: HUDSON, A. J. Date / Time: 02/23/22 15:00:41, Wednesday
Supervisor: VAZQUEZ, B. Supervisor Review Date / Time: 02/25/22 05:23:44, Friday

Contact: Reference: General Supplemental Report

On 02/17/2022 at approximately 1350 I, Detective Andrew Hudson, observed a black male, known to me as Alexander Francois DOB 07/16/1997, walking South through the parking lot of West Isle Apartments (3333 Duck Ave). Francois, who has an active Felony warrant for violation of probation, was wearing dark clothing with a medical style face mask and walking a small white dog.

Detective Sergeant Billy Vazquez, who was driving the vehicle I was the passenger in, called out on the radio we were going to attempt contact with Francois. Detective Sergeant Vazquez and I both put on our issued exterior ballistics vest, complete with "police" markings on the front and back and drove out onto Duck Ave where Francois was walking.

Detective Sergeant Vazquez drove West on Duck Ave and stopped at the corner of 15th St and Duck Ave. When Sergeant Vazquez opened the driver's side, I saw Francois begin to run in the opposite direction he was originally walking as if he was trying to evade to Police.

During this time, I was attempting to exit the vehicle from the rear door. When I came around the vehicle, Francois was down on the ground and Sergeant Vazquez was giving him loud verbal commands to put his hands behind his back. I then assisted him until the handcuffs were secure. We then sat Francois up into a seated position. Sergeant Vazquez called over the radio for rescue to respond as Francois was bleeding from the face.

Sergeant Vazquez and I rendered medical attention by washing the blood off his face and applying pressure with gauze until rescue arrived.

I did also notice a small clear plastic bag containing a green leafy substance sticking out of his pocket. The green leafy substance did later field test positive for marijuana. I asked François if he had any other drugs or weapons on him. He told me no.

I again asked Francois if he had any drugs or weapons on him at which time, he again stated no. During this time, I began to move my hand around his waist band to continue to check. As I moved closer to the front of his body, he asked me what I had said to him. I again asked him if he had any weapons. He told me he had a pistol in his front waist band.

I was able to retrieve the firearm at which time I passed it to Officer Tellier to make safe. The firearm was later placed into property as evidence.

Francois was then transported to Lower Keys Medical Center with Detective Conaty.

It should be noted, while investigating Francois in an unrelated case, I came across several videos on his social media

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account showing Francois with a firearm in his hand. Francois has already been charged in the past for carrying a concealed weapon and is also a convicted felon.

All of the above was captured on my bodyworn camera, 3940.

Nothing further at this time.