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Good morning Councilmember Benavente,

Thank you for requesting the status into the shooting deaths of Officer Tavarez-Rodriguez and his wife. By copy of this email, Chief Braden and Assistant Chief Berg are in receipt of your request for an update and will provide that to you as soon as possible.

Thank you,

Michele



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Greetings,

On May 16 and Aug 28 I inquired about the culmination of the investigation into the Shooting

by Officer Tavaréz-Rodríguez. I included the chief and ACM Yates previously in those inquiries. I have yet to receive any replies, and would like an update. If this is a council request matter please let me know.

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