

Portland Police Bureau: James Chasse Timeline

DATE	ACTION
9/17/2006	Providence Hospital Medical Staff pronounces James Chasse deceased
9/17/2006	Investigation begins and Bureau begins Officer Involved-In-Custody Death procedures as outlined in Directives
9/17/2006	Multnomah County DDA assigned to the case
10/3/2006	Grand Jury begins hearing evidence
10/17/2006	Grand Jury unanimously votes against criminal charges
10/17/2006	Police Bureau releases information regarding the investigation at News Conference and posts it on its website
11/13/2006	Administrative review process begins (Internal Affairs and Training)
12/20/2006	Administrative review process planning meeting (Internal Affairs and Training)
2/8/2007	Civil lawsuit filed
5/22/2007-5/8/2008	Internal Affairs Detectives interview all known witnesses (including ME, paramedics, witness and officers involved)
11/14/2007	Internal Affairs Detective interviews Sgt. Nice
12/11/2007	Internal Affairs Detective interviews Officer Humphreys
12/12/2007	Notice of Deposition by Plaintiff's attorney
1/8/2008	Officer Humphreys Deposition (First Deposition taken in case)
1/9/2008	Officer Burton Deposition
1/10/2008	Sgt. Nice Deposition
5/8/2008	Internal Affairs Detective interviews Officer Burton (delay per Multnomah County Counsel's Office)
7/30/2008	Administrative review process complete (Internal Affairs and Training)
9/5/2008	Command level review complete
10/1/2008-10/2/2008	Use of Force Review Board reviews the case
10/11/2008	Use of Force Review Board provides recommendations to Chief Sizer
10/29/2008	Plaintiff's attorney in lawsuit releases video with enhanced audio of officer involved. Chief Sizer issues statement and asks for the District Attorney to review
5/5/2009	DA Schrunk declines to prosecute the case regarding enhanced video
5/13/2009	Administrative process begins for enhanced video and allegations of untruthfulness
5/20/2009	Last deposition in lawsuit conducted (more than 100 depositions in this case)
6/20/2009	Administrative investigation complete—allegations of untruthfulness is found to be “unproven”
8/12/2009	Command level review complete
9/16/2009	Use of Force Review Board reconvenes
9/23/2009	Chief Sizer releases information regarding Use of Force and Review Board's findings and allegations of untruthfulness