

Boulder Police Department
Voluntary Statement

101-7321

I read, speak, and understand the English language. I am not under the influence of any intoxicant. No threats, favors, or promises of leniency have been made to me by any person. My voluntary statement is as follows:

I was playing with my dog at Casey Park when I noticed a man on the Hill above video taping me. When I approached him upon getting a bag to clean up after my dog, he ~~asked me~~ told me that it was against the law to have my dog off lead and that my dog just went to the bathroom in the park & I didn't clean it up. I informed him my doggie bag was by the bench and that is what I was going to do. When I returned he asked me why I thought it was okay to break the law and continued to harass me with questions - he said that the cops would be here soon. I started to leave and he followed me continuing to ask me questions, where I lived, what my name was - At one point he picked up his paw & that was what really scared me - He ~~was~~ followed me the whole way home & I was really scared & alarmed because I asked him to stop following me & he didn't. He kept harassing me & followed me to my house & then asked me for my name & address - He was very confrontational & made me feel very uncomfortable, & frightened for my safety.

I have read each page of this statement consisting of _____ page(s), each page of which bears my signature. Corrections, if any, bear my initials. I certify that the facts contained herein are true and correct. I further certify that I made no request for the advice or presence of a lawyer before or during any part of this statement, nor at any time before it was finished did I request that this statement be stopped. I also declare that I was not told or prompted what to say in this statement.

This statement was completed at 1737 Walnut

[Signature]
Witness

Witness

Location

5/10/01

Date

Signature

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BOULDER POLICE DEPARTMENT
VOLUNTARY STATEMENT

CR# P01-7328

NAME	Jim Chanin	DATE OF BIRTH	5-11-65
ADDRESS	1705 Sunset Blvd Bldr. 80304	TELEPHONE	939-8400

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On the morning of 5-10-01 at around 8:30 a man started yelling at me from a distance away while I was walking my dogs behind Casey Middle School. As I got closer to passing him I saw he was video taping me and he was reciting Boulder leash laws to me though my dogs were on long monopileman leashes. I tried to avoid him because he seemed like a very strange person, and not in charge of his faculties. After passing him, I turned around to see him trying to grab my dog. This really alarmed me as the situation was very peculiar, and this man seemed quite odd. I called him away from my dog quite loudly as I was unsure as to this man's intentions, and I went on →

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Printed Witness Name

Printed Name

Witness Signature / Date

Signature / Date

Jim Chanin

x Jim Chanin 5/12/01

my way without another word. My limited experience with strange people is to try not to provoke them, and any other erratic behavior. When I got home I believed the incident to be unsettling enough to facilitate a call to the Police to report him. From my brief encounter with this man I believe him to be disturbed. I also believe he has contempt and a total lack of respect for the BPD's authorities, and that he could be dangerous. He may believe that he is on some benevolent "mission", but he has gone too far. It's important to not revere this man as a champion of some important cause, but rather fear him as an obsessive lunatic.

Tom Chan

5-12-01