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County of Erie]ss:
City of Buffalo]

Aaron Yarborough, being duly sworn, deposes and says:

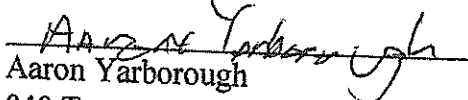
1. That in 1996 I testified against Jonathan Parker at his murder trial for the shooting of a Buffalo Police Officer.
2. That the testimony that I then offered was false and totally untrue. I was told what to say that I had seen.
3. That I did not see Jonathan Parker at or even near the scene of the murder.
4. That I definitely did NOT see Jonathan Parker shoot a Buffalo Police Officer.
5. That I had been in a corner store a block away from the shooting. When I heard the noise I looked out to see what was happening. I saw many Police cars going by so I quickly left the area.
6. That later that evening, Homicide Detective Andre Ortiz, and a bunch of other cops, captured me while I was visiting on Sweet Street.
7. That Detective Andre Ortiz told me that if I did not say what they told me to say at Jonathan Parker's murder trial that he would take me out in the corn fields and kill me.

8. That knowing the reputation of Detective Ortiz, I was afraid for my life, so agreed to say whatever they told me to say at Jonathan Parker's murder trial.

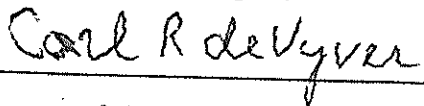
9. That now that Detective Ortiz is no longer a Buffalo Police Detective, and therefore can no longer kill me for telling the truth, I am now willing to tell the absolute truth.

10. That the truth is I never saw Jonathan Parker, or any one else, with any gun, or do any shooting of any Buffalo Police Officer. All my trial testimony was false. I just repeated what I had been told I had to say.

11. That I will so testify under oath if called to do so.


Aaron Yarborough
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Sworn and subscribed to before me
this 30th day of August, 2020:



Carl R. deVyver
COMMISSIONER OF DEEDS
In and for Buffalo, Erie County, NY
Commission Expires December 31, 2020