



**CASE/INCIDENT REPORT**  
**NORTH DAKOTA HIGHWAY PATROL**

Case No.  
**2017001026**

Employee: <b>285 - Hendrickson, Luke P</b>	
Date/Time: <b>2/23/2017 11:00:00</b>	District: <b>Southeast Region</b>
Status: <b>Active</b>	

Additional Officers:

**Reviewed By:**

Highway: <b>1806</b>	Ref Point: <b>34.50</b>	County: <b>Morton</b>	Other Location: <b>Oceti Camp Area</b>
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**Events**

**285 - Hendrickson, Luke P - 02/23/2017 - Oceti Camp Area**

**Lead Event**

Activity	<b>Assisting Other Governmental</b>	<b>Morton County Sheriff's Department</b>
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**Involvement Type**

Name: <b>Morton County Sheriff's Department</b>		Address: <b>205 1st Ave NW</b>			Height:	Weight:	Race:
SSN/OLN:	OLN State:				Hair Color:		Eye Color:
Date of Birth:	Sex:	City: <b>Mandan</b>	State: <b>ND</b>	Zip Code: <b>58554</b>	Home Telephone:		Work Telephone: <b>7016673330</b>
Involvement: <b>Other</b>		Other Information:					Cell Telephone:
							Fax No:

**Vehicle License Plate Number - Year - Color - Make - Model**

Unknown - Unknown - Unknown - Unknown - Unknown

**Case Narrative**

**285 - Hendrickson, Luke P, Created: 03/01/2017, Last Modified: 03/01/2017**

On 02/23/2017 I was the Commander of mobile field force A and our mission was to act upon the eviction notice of the Oceti Camp from the Governor's Office and clear the people illegally occupying that area. At 1100 mobile field force A (Fargo PD, Cass County SO, Bismarck PD and Grand Forks PD) entered into the camp on the northwest corner from Hwy 1806. We made contact with a small group of people, approximately 50, that had gathered in this area of the camp. We walked up to a line of five people that had interlocked their arms and were standing in a line facing our location. I formed the mobile field force skirmish line in a north to south direction directly in front of the group of people. I gave them the verbal order to disperse from that location and move to the south of the camp on Hwy 1806. I explained to them that if they left the location now they would not be arrested, but if they did not leave that area they would be arrested. The five people that had locked their arms knelt down onto their knees and stated they were not going to leave. I then moved the mobile field force around those people, re-establishing our skirmish line, and the arrest teams from the Bismarck PD arrested the individuals that were on the ground. Several arrests were made at this time along our line. While arrests were being made I continued to give loud verbal commands to the remaining people in the camp to leave the area and move south on Hwy 1806. Several people moved closer to the skirmish line and I ordered them to move back from the officers to give us more room. Two females stated that they were not going to leave the side of an elderly female that had been arrested and they would not move back. When the arrest teams had returned to the line the two females that would not leave were arrested, I observed one female was wearing a tan ballistic vest.

When the arrests had been completed the mobile field force A moved to the south until we caught up with the SWAT teams and armored vehicles that were advancing south. When we arrived at flag road, half way through the camp, our advancement stopped and we held this location until mobile field force B paralleled our location spanning the camp from east to west. At this time the Cass County squad was ordered to media hill to continue

advancing to the south with a SWAT and armored element, the Fargo squad held our location with cover from roll off bins and armored humvee. I then went to Hwy 1806 and brought down the mobile field force recovery team to replace the Cass County squad. The mobile field force recovery team was moved to the held location of the Fargo squad. When all units were prepared the remaining structures of the camp were cleared and the mobile field forces moved to the south edge of the Oceti Camp at the Cannon Ball River. At this time the Morton County cut team was called to our location to removed two cables that spanned across the Cannon Ball River to aid people in walking across the ice. When this was completed all mobile field force members that fell into the mud and other substances were ordered to Hwy 1806 where a water truck was staged to decontaminate these individuals. Remaining members of the mobile field forces were rotated out in shifts to eat and warm up at the FOB. Armored humvee patrols were established and maintained the cleared Oceti Camp boarder along the Cannon Ball River. This ended my involvement in this incident.