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Fall 2021

Floyd protests timeline.pdf

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Los Angeles

**Thursday,
May 28th, 2020**

- Protests and lootings in L.A slowly begin
- 3 days after George Floyd's death

**Sunday,
May 31st, 2020**

- L.A set a 6pm curfew
- Looting continues
- National guard makes an appearance
- LAPD SUV rams through crowd

**Wednesday,
June 3rd, 2020**

- Curfew is changed to 9pm
- Over 3,000 individuals arrested
- Peaceful protests are seen in Hollywood
- Man pulls out gun and yells "Black Lives don't Matter"

**Mon/Tues,
June 8th & 9th, 2020**

- Discussions of defunding the LAPD begin
- 885 people killed by the LAPD, mostly Black and Latinos
- June 9th George Floyd laid to rest

**Mon/Tues,
June 1st & 2nd, 2020**

- Roughly 985 individuals arrested
- Rubber bullets are fired by LAPD
- Many injured and at least 11 people killed

**Friday,
June 5th, 2020**

- David Brown handcuffed & told to not come back to Santa Monica
- Protesters face pepper ball rounds and "inert smoke"

**Saturday,
May 30th, 2020**

- City leaders spoke up
- 43 people were arrested
- SWAT officers throughout the city

**Wednesday,
June 3rd, 2020**

- Protests around Multnomah County Justice Center
- Police Bureau Chief Jami Resch expressed her support
- 2 a.m. protest ends; reposts of vandalizing

**Sunday,
June 7th, 2020**

- Justice Center was the site of several clashes between police and demonstrators
- First responders were being attacked

**Friday,
May 29th, 2020**

- Peaceful gathering organized by the NAACP
- Chanting "BLM", "No justice, no peace", "I can't breathe"
- Vandalizing began
- Multnomah County Justice Center was broken into

**Sunday,
May 31st, 2020**

- Officer took a knee with protesters
- Curfew was set in place
- Oregon Department of Transportation shut down freeway off-ramps leading to downtown Portland
- Gov. Brown deployed the National Guard

**Friday,
June 5th, 2020**

- Police declared civil disturbance outside the Multnomah County Justice Center
- Crowd was declared an unlawful assembly
- Largest group marched to Waterfront Park
- Jo Ann Hardesty

**Monday,
June 8th, 2020**

- Resignation of Portland Police Chief Jami Resch
- Defunding the police
- March led to a shutdown of the freeway
- A gathering was held outside the Multnomah County Justice

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