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**PUBLIC INFORMATION REPORT  
FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE  
March 15, 2020**

<u>Nature of Release:</u> Officer-Involved Shooting	<u>Date and Time of Incident:</u> March 13, 2020 Approximately 2:30 PM
<u>Incident Location:</u> Center Avenue near 4 <sup>th</sup> Street City of New Kensington	
<u>Person(s) Involved:</u> <b>Decedent:</b> Marc N. Morgan, 62 y/o male Address: Lower Drennen Road Upper Burrell Township  Date and Time of Death: March 13, 2020 at 3:52 PM	
<u>Incident Details:</u> <b>Cause of Death: Gunshot Wound(s)</b> <b>Due to: Shot by Police</b>  <b>Manner of Death: Homicide</b>  <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Westmoreland County Coroner, Kenneth A. Bacha, has released the following information on an officer-involved shooting that occurred in the City of New Kensington.</li><li>▪ Witnesses contacted 911, due to the decedent, Marc N. Morgan, walking with a shotgun in the area of Center Avenue near 4<sup>th</sup> Street.</li><li>▪ New Kensington Police, assisted by Arnold Police and Lower Burrell Police, responded to the scene.</li><li>▪ The decedent brandished his shotgun towards officers who discharged their firearms.</li><li>▪ Chief Deputy Coroner Kirk E. Nolan pronounced the decedent dead at the scene.</li><li>▪ An autopsy was performed by Dr. Cyril H. Wecht and Pathology Associates on March 14, 2020.</li><li>▪ Cause and manner of death is reflected above.</li><li>▪ Toxicology results will not be available for several weeks.</li><li>▪ Slater Funeral Home of New Kensington will be in charge of arrangements.</li><li>▪ The Westmoreland County Detective Bureau and New Kensington Police Department will release additional details at their discretion.</li></ul>	
<b>****No further information is available at this time****</b>	