

Feds Visited Michael Hastings' House Day Before His Death

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Rolling Stone journalist Michael Hastings, who was killed in a suspicious car crash after complaining that he was being harassed by the FBI, had his home visited by agents from an unnamed federal agency the day before his death, a close friend of Hastings told Infowars.

While it's known that Hastings had warned others, [including Wikileaks](#), that the FBI was on his case, the fact that feds visited the home of the controversial journalist almost immediately prior to his untimely death is yet another facet to a story which has thrown up numerous questions about the circumstances surrounding the car crash that killed Hastings in the Hancock Park neighborhood of Los Angeles on June 18.

Through speaking to close friends of Hastings, Infowars has also gathered other astounding revelations about the circumstances surrounding his death that will be released in due course if those individuals are comfortable in going public.

Several of Hastings' friends and colleagues were reticent to go public with the fact that the journalist had [sent an email hours before his death](#) stating he was "onto a big story" and needed "to go off the rada[r] for a bit."

Yesterday, Hastings' wife Elise Jordan [appeared on CNN's Piers Morgan Tonight](#) to express the view that her husband's death was a "tragic accident," [despite initially vowing to "take down"](#) whoever was responsible.

The LAPD's assertion that no foul play was involved in the death of Hastings has not satisfied journalists who are being stonewalled by both police and federal agencies.

Last week, investigative journalists Jason Leopold and Ryan Shapiro [filed a lawsuit against the FBI](#) after the agency's refusal to respond to a Freedom of Information Act request which sought details on the death of the journalist.

"By suing the FBI for failure to comply with the Freedom of Information Act, [we] hope to obtain records pertaining both to the unusual circumstances of Michael Hastings's death and to the broader issue of FBI surveillance of journalists and other critics of American national security policy," Shapiro said.

[Recently released surveillance camera footage](#) which captures the crash of Hastings' Mercedes shows three explosions before the vehicle comes to a rest, fueling speculation that some kind of incendiary device could have triggered the blasts. In at least [three 911](#)

[calls](#), witnesses reported loud explosions accompanying the crash.

Speculation has also centered around whether Hastings' Mercedes was remotely hijacked, a technology which [academic studies confirm](#) is a fairly straightforward method of taking control of a vehicle. Former counter-terror czar Richard Clarke remarked that the crash involving Hastings was ["consistent with a car cyber attack."](#)

Hastings had made innumerable enemies in high places as a result of his controversial journalism and routinely received death threats. According to his friend Sgt. Joe Biggs, the journalist was working on ["the biggest story yet" about the CIA](#) before his death.

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