

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

CASE FILE SH-24017

CLASSIFICATION: CONFIDENTIAL

Operation: Silt Harbor

Lead Field Office: Portland Division

Lead Investigator: Special Agent Gary Thomas Cook

Case Status: ACTIVE

INVESTIGATION SUMMARY

Date Opened: April 17

Federal investigators began a coordinated investigation following the disappearance of multiple individuals connected to Oregon's central coast. Initial evidence suggested isolated missing persons cases. Subsequent discoveries revealed links to a sophisticated criminal organization operating through abandoned industrial properties and commercial waterfront facilities.

The organization is believed responsible for numerous kidnappings, human trafficking, financial crimes, corruption, witness intimidation, and multiple homicides across state lines.

The investigation remains active.

PRIMARY INVESTIGATORS

Special Agent Gary Thomas Cook

Agency: Federal Bureau of Investigation

Assignment: Violent Crimes Task Force

Specialties

- Criminal profiling
- Multi-agency investigations
- Missing persons
- Organized crime

Personnel Evaluation

Agent Cook demonstrates exceptional investigative instincts and persistence. Frequently challenges conventional investigative assumptions when evidence suggests broader criminal coordination.

Supervisor Comment

"Cook has an irritating habit of being right."

Special Agent Miguel Torres

Assignment:

FBI Portland

Role:

Organized Crime

Known For:

Methodical investigations

Strong interagency relationships

Excellent tactical planning

CASE OVERVIEW

Confirmed Crimes

- ☒ Kidnapping
 - ☒ Human Trafficking
 - ☒ Murder
 - ☒ Witness Intimidation
 - ☒ Public Corruption
 - ☒ Financial Crimes
 - ☒ Identity Fraud
 - ☒ Organized Criminal Enterprise
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PERSON OF INTEREST

Helen Morgan

Known Aliases

Abigail Davis

Additional aliases remain under investigation.

Assessment

Highly intelligent.

Exceptional manipulative ability.

Demonstrates advanced planning and operational security.

Capable of recruiting individuals through deception, financial pressure, and psychological influence.

Threat Level

EXTREME

PERSON OF INTEREST

"The Cleaner"

Legal Name:

Unknown

Age:

Unknown

Occupation:

Unknown

Assessment:

Professional contract operative.

Evidence suggests extensive tactical training.

Avoids surveillance.

Leaves minimal forensic evidence.

Associated with multiple homicides across jurisdictions.

Threat Level:

MAXIMUM

EVIDENCE LOG

Evidence Item 017

Recovered:

Warehouse B

Description:

Plastic restraint recovered beneath damaged flooring.

Laboratory Status:

DNA examination completed.

Disposition:

Retained as evidence.

Evidence Item 026

Recovered:

Harbor Office

Description:

Financial ledger containing coded transactions.

Analysis:

Potential trafficking payments.

Referred to FBI Financial Crimes Unit.

Evidence Item 041

Recovered:

Dock Storage Locker

Description:

Satellite communication device.

Status:

Call records partially recovered.

Additional forensic analysis pending.

INVESTIGATIVE TIMELINE

April 17

Missing persons investigation initiated.

April 23

Federal jurisdiction established.

May 2

Search warrant executed.

Additional evidence recovered.

May 11

Warehouse B searched.

Victim located alive.

May 18

Harbor confrontation.

Multiple armed suspects engaged.

Primary organization escapes immediate apprehension.

Current Status

Investigation ongoing.

**EXCERPT FROM INTERVIEW
032**

Witness Name

REDACTED

Question

What did you notice first?

Answer

The silence.

No machinery.

No boats.

No people.

Just enough quiet to know somebody was watching us.

AGENT COOK'S PERSONAL NOTES

(Recovered from field notebook)

There are too many victims for coincidence.

Every answer uncovers another layer.

Someone isn't just hiding evidence.

Someone is directing the entire investigation from the shadows.

Find the person no one is looking for.

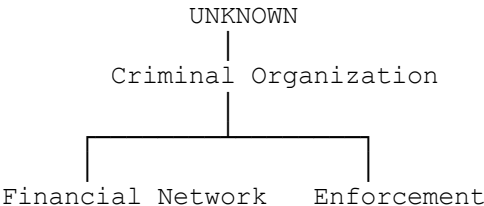
OREGON COAST OPERATIONS MAP

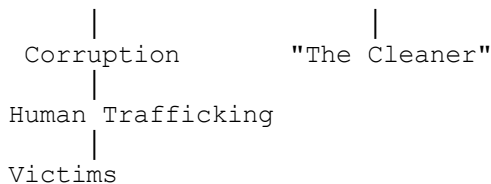
Primary Locations

- Silt Harbor Marina
- Warehouse B
- Commercial Dock
- Forest Access Road
- Sheriff's Office
- Safe House
- Portland Field Office

(Include a stylized map with numbered locations in the final PDF.)

ORGANIZATIONAL STRUCTURE





CASE STATUS

Primary Organization

ACTIVE

Remaining Leadership

AT LARGE

Federal Investigation

ONGOING

EYES ONLY

This investigative file contains selected excerpts from an active federal investigation. Portions have been redacted to protect ongoing operations and the identities of cooperating witnesses.

Bonus Feature: "Can You Spot the Clues?"

At the back, invite readers to revisit the story with questions such as:

- Which seemingly minor clue became the biggest breakthrough?
- When did you first suspect the conspiracy was larger than a single criminal?

- Which character earned your trust—and why?
- Which scene changed your understanding of the case?