

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF TENNESSEE
NORTHERN DIVISION

THOMAS NEELY,)	
)	No. 3:05-CV-304
Plaintiff,)	
)	Knoxville, TN
vs.)	June 21, 2006
)	9:30 a.m.
FOX OF OAK RIDGE,)	
)	
Defendant.)	

TRANSCRIPT OF JURY TRIAL (CONTINUED)
BEFORE THE HONORABLE H. BRUCE GUYTON
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE

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1 Q And where were you going to take the van?

2 A Back to Fox in Oak Ridge.

3 Q All right. And had it been raining the whole
4 time you were driving?

5 A Yeah.

6 Q Okay. Were you driving on Charles Sievers
7 Boulevard on that day?

8 A Yeah.

9 Q As you were driving, were you driving faster
10 or slower than the speed limit?

11 A I was driving slower than the speed limit.

12 Q Why?

13 A I just don't like to be driving fast.

14 Q What were the weather conditions like?

15 A It rained pretty good.

16 Q And at some point, this vehicle that was
17 driven by Mr. Neely was in front of you; right?

18 A Yeah. That is right.

19 Q Okay. And tell us what happened then, when
20 that vehicle was in front of you?

21 A He stopped and was on the phone. And before I
22 could stop, I slid into him.

23 Q When you hit the brakes, did your vehicle
24 slide?

25 A It slid.