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REPORTER #1  
I get full access?

"Tara"

JJ holds up her phone.

JENNIFER  
See this? This is you as my number  
one on speed dial. Just attribute  
the good work of the Providence PD  
and leave us out of it.

\*She just  
witnessed a  
brutal murder

As Reporter #1 nods, "done deal," we hear --

VOICE  
There's the body--

-- and Reporter #1 gestures to her Cameraman --

REPORTER #1  
Getit-- getit--

The lights over different cameras POP ON in quick succession as  
the COVERED BODY gets wheeled into the AMBULANCE by EMT's --

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-- and we REVERSE on the cameras recording that to ESTABLISH  
we're now on the other side of the tape.

Morgan and Reid talk to a trembling TARA KELLY. Her clothes  
still stained with BLOOD.

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TARA KELLY

He was just a nice guy who worked  
here. I didn't think he'd be...

MORGAN

What do you remember about the  
attack?

TARA KELLY

I asked if his tomatoes were  
organic. He said he'd show me. I  
was looking down. Next thing I  
know, I felt something warm. It  
was his blood.

She stops, overwhelmed. Then:

TARA KELLY (cont'd)

Neither of you guys smoke, do you?

REVISER

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REID

Sorry, no. Did you get a look at the man with the knife?

TARA KELLY

No. The first person I saw was the guy screaming for help. He was trying to stop the bleeding.

Morgan and Reid glance at each other. That's odd.

TARA KELLY (cont'd)

Then a bunch of people ran over to help. How about a Xanax? Do you have a Xanax?

MORGAN

Back up. Who shouted for help?

TARA KELLY

I dunno. Some guy. When I turned around, he was holding up that poor man, trying to get someone to notice.

REID

This guy must have gotten a lot of blood on him.

TARA KELLY

Sure. I guess.

MORGAN

Is he still here?

She looks around.

TARA KELLY

No. When the crowd came over, I lost track of him.

MORGAN

How about what he looked like? What he was wearing?

TARA KELLY

Uh... sweat shirt. Baseball hat. Typical frat guy look that every man I've ever dated wears.

(then)

Look, are we done? Because I'd really like to drink myself to sleep tonight.

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