

Video transcript for 8.11.2016
(“Solidarity with Standing Rock Sioux Tribe agency”)
North Dakota – Cannon Ball Ranch

Video duration: 1min:39sec.

[Opening shot of a water protestor being handcuffed by three officers, standing in front of a wire fence and metal gate.]

Man (off-screen): We’re going go home. We’ve already lost everything but our freakin’ water [becomes inaudible due to chanting]

Crowd chanting: We stand! For our brothers! For our sisters! We stand! For water! For Life! We Stand! For our people! For one nation! We stand! For our brothers! For our sisters! We stand! For water! For Life! We Stand! For our people! For one nation!

[Camera shows close up of water protesters, standing still with right fists raised, facing police officers.]

Video recorder: [joins in crowd chanting]

[While chanting continues, camera cuts out to assembled crowd, standing near orange safety fence. A dance circle moves in the middle of the crowd.]

[Camera cuts to young woman, on her knees, being handcuffed by one police officer, with three others standing nearby, in assistance. Two water protestors (in plain clothes) are also present.]

[Chanting continues off screen.]

[Camera cuts to three water protestors on horseback, talking.]

[Chanting continues off screen.]

Video recorder: [joins in crowd chanting]

[Camera cuts to large assembly of water protestors, standing before six police officers, with fists raised. No movement on either side.]

[Chanting continues off screen.]

[Camera cuts to close up of two police officers (sheriff’s office?).]

[Chanting continues off screen.]

[Camera cuts to side view of police officer approached a water protestor in a red shirt, walking downhill. Upon arriving near the protestor, the police officer sweeps his foot across the man's ankles, causing him to fall face-forward to the ground. The police officer twists his arm behind his back, takes his wrists, and proceeds to handcuff him.]

[Chanting continues off screen.]

[Camera cuts to side view of a young man jogging from four officers. The officer closest holds something in both hands, pointed at the jogging man. The man continues for several steps before falling to the ground. The officers approach, turn him over and start to apprehend him.]

[Chanting continues off screen.]

[Camera cuts to side view of two officers walking downhill with a handcuffed water protestor in a red shirt, who appears to be the same man who was tripped to the ground.]

[Chanting continues off screen.]

[Camera cuts to a solitary water protestor, standing in front of a wire fence. He stares at the camera.]

[Camera cuts to a face-view of assembled water protestors, chanting]
Chanters: We stand! For one nation! For one people! We stand! For water! For life!

[Chanters start ululating. Camera pans to show assembled people.]

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