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The following two timelines were developed using information found in two Manhattan District Attorney indictments. Both indictments illustrate how social media was utilized to instigate retaliation and violence between multiple Manhattan crews. These timelines exemplify how social media posting directly leads to violence by documenting the social media posts and incidences of violence. Together, these events led to the arrest of 165 young men for multiple shooting incidences in the community and other illegal activity.










Manhattan Crew Timeline: Air it Out, True Money Gang, Whoadey Indictment

<u>Date:</u>	Dec. 14, 2010	Dec. 24, 2010	Jan. 7, 2011		Jan. 14, 2011	Jan. 21, 2011	Jan. 31, 2011
<u>Social Media Post / Shooting:</u>	 Joseph Solivan posts:	 Joseph Solivan posts:	 In the vicinity of Johnson Houses	 Joseph Solivan posts:	 Joseph Solivan posts:	 Joseph Solivan posts:	 In the vicinity of Madison Ave btw E 112 th & 115 th Streets
<u>Description of post / incident:</u>	RIP Tremaine Cosby	Niggas dnt want war we cud leave yu like john doe face first on the floor	Marc Alvarez and at least one other person, carrying a loaded .22 caliber semiautomatic pistol, and one individual pointed and fired the pistol at rival TMG gang member Tremaine Cosby and another person.	Time to catch head shots on that fat cheese cake mother fucker fuck tht free scrap or die!!!! KKKKKKKKKkk off this	I love wen I got the grip and the AIO goons tell me bust tht shit and it start goin off like its july 4th	We gunna kill Tramaine Cosby fat ass	AIO gang member Joshua Crider possessed a firearm, pointed it at rival TMG gang member Tremaine Cosby and tried to fire at him.
<u>Translation of post:</u>	<i>Direct threat to a living rival gang member.</i>	<i>Taunting the rival gang, stating that the rival gang doesn't want a war because the AIO will kill the rivals.</i>		<i>Saying it's time to shoot Tremaine Cosby in the head and encouraging fellow gang members to retaliate for the arrest of Marc Alvarez aka Scrap.</i>	<i>Stating that he loves it when he has the gun and his fellow gang members to tell him to start shooting.</i>	<i>Stating that his gang is going to kill Tremaine Cosby.</i>	

March 6, 2011	March 9, 2011	March 16, 2011	April 18, 2011	April 24, 2011	May 3, 2011
 Joseph Solivan posts:	 Joseph Solivan posts:	 Malik Perry posts a photo with caption:	 Malik Perry posts:	 In the vicinity of 22 E 112 th Street	 In the vicinity of 111 th St. btw 5 th & Madison Aves.
Its Fetti K, its Trilla K, Its AIO Bang Bang.	Run down gun down g lock kkkkkkk	GUNNER ON SETKKK	All I gotta say 'is TMG K' Bangin on lex til they free dj	Eric Taylor, accompanied by Mike Floyd, Monday Colon, George Graulau, Joshua Crider, and other AIO gang members, pointed and repeatedly fired a Taurus .40 caliber semiautomatic pistol at a group of people who were running south on Madison Avenue.	While AIO gang member George Graulau held the door open at 22 E 112 th Street, AIO gang members Joseph Solivan, and Monday Colon ran after Whoadey gang member John McCall and another person. Joseph Solivan possessed a loaded .25 caliber semiautomatic pistol and pointed and fired the pistol at the other person, striking them in the leg.
<i>AIO wants to shoot/kill rival gangs Fetti & Trilla.</i>	<i>Joseph Solivan aka "g lock" self-promoting.</i>	<i>Malik Perry self-promoting he is a shooter and will kill someone.</i>	<i>Promoting retaliation against rival gang TMG for the arrest of AIO gang member David Kennebrew aka "DJ".</i>		

Manhattan Crew Timeline: Make it Happen Boys, Money Avenue, and 3 Staccs Indictment

Sept. 10, 2011	Sept. 11, 2011		Sept. 12, 2011	Sept. 14, 2011		Oct. 11, 2011	
 A Make It Happen Boyz gang member posts a video depicting:	 In Grant Houses	 Isaac Waterman posts:	 Ty-Kwan Allen posts:	 Jordan Laster posts:	 Ty-Kwan Allen posts:	 In the vicinity of 1420 Amsterdam Avenue	 Carlos Rodriguez posts:
Jalen Harris stating, “GRIP UP,” Devante Washington stating, “FREE D SLIMES,” Corey Bumpass stating, “FREE DOODIE,” and Markeese Scott and Kenneth Thomas yelling “Mula,” while accompanied by Make It Happen Boyz gang member Walter “Recc” Sumter and Joshua Cadle.	Tayshana “Chicken” Murphy is shot and killed.	IT GOT CRAZY TONIGHT. MAN, IT’S GONNA BE WAR 24 7 NOW. FUCK IT.	MONEY AVE GANG OR DON’T BANG and MONEY AVE UP	MY NIGGAS BODIED A GRANT BITCH	I LIKE MY CHICKEN DEEP FRIED	Make It Happen Boyz gang members possessed a loaded firearm, and shot rival 3 Staccs gang member Trayvon Johnson.	THEY LEARNED THEIR LESSON
<i>Grip up means get a gun. Free someone means let them out of jail.</i>		<i>Commenting on the death of Tyshana Murphy and the impending fall out.</i>	<i>Promoting the Money Ave gang.</i>	<i>Boasting about killing Tyshana Murphy aka “Chicken”.</i>			<i>After shooting at rivals.</i>

Nov. 13, 2011	Nov. 21, 2011	Dec. 16, 2011	Dec. 18, 2011	Dec. 24, 2011	Dec. 26, 2011	Dec. 30, 2011		
 Jordan Laster posts:	 In the vicinity of Morningside Ave & W 119th St.	 Walter "Recc" Sumter posts a video:	 Carashane Bradford posts:	 Carashane Bradford posts:	 In the vicinity of Amsterdam Avenue and West 125th St.	 In the vicinity of 254 W. 154th St.	 Carashane Bradford posts:	 Jordan Laster posts:
GUNS DON'T KILL PEOPLE WE KILL PEOPLE	Deondre Ellis-Vazquez attempted to fire gunshots at a rival gang member. Then, Davon Pinkston repeatedly fired at a rival gang member.	insulting various rival 3 Staccs gang members, bragging about members of MA shooting at members of 3 Staccs and mocking the murder of Tayshana "Chicken" Murphy.	m.A.....MONEY AVE.....MANH ATTAN AVE.....MULA... ..SLIME... ..FTW GRIMY GRANT KKKKKKKK	3STACCCS 2 NYPD KKKKKKKK	Jordan Laster and Raymond Garcia shot at rival 3 Staccs gang members with a loaded firearm, striking another individual in the leg.	Walter "Recc" Sumter was shot and killed at a party.	ITS ALL FUN ND GAMES UNTIL NIGGAS GOT SHOT	NOW SHIT FOR REAL NIGGAS
			<i>Promoting their gang; FTW means fuck the world, K means kill – they are saying they want to kill their rivals from Grant Houses.</i>	<i>Often two or more gangs create "sets" in order to work together and will write it out as X2X, here the poster is mocking rival gang 3Staccs saying they are working with the NYPD, and they want to kill them.</i>			<i>Commenting on the death of Walter "Recc" Sumter.</i>	