Sasquatch stares at driver from side of road

Sighting Details:

Date: 09/25/2007 Time of Day: 4:45am

Season: Fall
State: Florida
County: Taylor
Nearest town: Perry

Nearest road/Highway: Driving down Hwy 19/27

Weather Conditions: Fairly clear night/morning, the weather was not cold but cool and the moon was fairly bright

from what I can remember, so you could see a slight way ahead of yourself.

Terrain of location: *Pine forest on both sides of the road.*

Anything else odd: No, not that I am aware of. However, just a little food for thought... IF it was in fact a bigfoot that

I saw, what was it looking for by staring into the trees?

Other Witnesses: There were no witnesses, however I had been on my cell phone with my husband at the time and I was telling him what I was seeing when I saw it, all he heard was when I passed it was me letting out a nice big curse

word in the form of a question. "what the????" Local Stories: As far as this, I do not know. Submitted by witness on: 12/2007

Original report:

Hello, my name is Summer. I am a 25-year-old female from Panama City FL. I am writing you because I found you over the internet after doing my own research on if bigfoot's exist. I feel silly saying this and have ran the image over and over in my mind to make sure I saw what I saw, but I feel that I saw a Bigfoot/Sasquatch. I am not the type of person to lie or make up stories, in fact with this type of information people seem to laugh at you and think your lying so I would rather keep it to myself. However, I have told my family and my mother urges me to inform someone like yourself, so here I am.

Ok, well this is my "sighting." I am a photographer for Life Touch National School Studios, I was scheduled to photograph the Perry primary School there in Perry Fl. at 6:00am est. September 25th, 2007. I was driving to Perry FL coming from Tallahassee fl. I was headed south on Hwy 19. I am at a point in the road where it is a four lane highway (two going one way and then a median and two going north) and there is nothing around but forest. No one was on the road at this time, everyone was at home in their bed where I had wished I was. :) I am in the slow lane taking my time, enjoying the night and I noticed something out of the norm on the shoulder of the road. This is when I started to focus on it.

My mind was trying to make since of what I was seeing. It was a fairly clear night like I have stated before so it was easy for me to see beyond my car with the help of the moon light. Let me paint a picture for you. On the shoulder of the road it had been mowed and cleared off and the there would be probably a good 12ft stretch of grass that lead up to thick woods/forest. I saw a large at the very least, 6.5" foot "tree." See this is what my mind was stuck on, I kept watching this thing trying to make it out. My mind kept telling me it was a tree. I never would have thought bigfoot. I was debating with my inner self why would someone plant a tree on the shoulder of the road but clear off everything around it? It's funny how your mind works. I became transfixed with trying to figure out what it was. It was about 4 or 5 feet from the thick part of the woods. it was tall and broad and facing the trees. At the time I didn't know that, I was still trying to figure out what it was. Anyways, like I said it was broad, not fat, not to thin and for lack of better words bushy but not like fluffy bushy, more like completely cover in hair I guess. VERY DARK!!! and the shadow of the night didn't help anything, it was covering up me making out a defined figure.

Right before I approached alongside of it in my car and my head lights hit it, it moved which instantly scared me because it confirmed it wasn't a tree and then the head swiveled quickly as though to look over it's right shoulder at me and then two red animal eyes glared into my headlights and I passed it. I sped up out of fear to get the heck out of there and I looked in my rearview mirror and it was too dark to make anything out. so what happened after that I am unsure. This is my encounter; I swear in my heart of hearts that it was bigfoot. I have been replaying this image over and over in my head trying to make sure it wasn't something else. but nothing compares. I thought that it might have been a bear on its hind legs however just the other day I passed a nice big black Florida bear and there is NO WAY that what I saw was a bear. a bear is way too fat to have been what I saw.

Follow Investigation by David S:

I spoke to Summer over the phone about her sighting and I find her to be very credible in her what she has told me. She was very persistent in what she saw once she drove close to the creature. I ask her if she could see any details of the creature and she responded that, "I could not see a clear description like facial details but she could tell it was very broad, hairy all over, around 6.5 to 7 feet tall and when the its head turned to look at my car I could see its eyes glow or reflect back and the color was reddish."

Summer says that she couldn't see if the creature moved off into the forest after she past it or not, she was just so frightened of what she through was a tree until it moved its head and then that is when she saw the eyes. She said that the eye seemed to be spread apart wider than a human's eyes.

Summer's husband works for the forest department and often does control burns in the Panhandle and surrounding areas and when she came back home to talk to about her experience to him he told her that those things are usually down south from what he heard. As I was talking with Summer about what her husband said, I told her that these creatures had to make it down there somehow. As she thought about what I said, is when things sank in and even confirmed to her more, that what she saw that morning had to have been a Sasquatch.

The area where she saw this at is very rural and the possibly of these creatures in the area is very high. The area is great to support such creatures and I have no doubt that there may be more sightings that have not been reported from this area.