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Chauvin guilty of murder, manslaughter in George Floyd case

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DEATH OF GEORGE FLOYD

Chauvin found guilty

Former officer convicted of murder, manslaughter | May face decades in prison after sentencing hearing in two months | People backing conviction celebrate in Minneapolis

By Amy Farber, Stephen Green and Tommy Webber
Associated Press

MINNEAPOLIS (AP) — Former Minneapolis Officer Derek Chauvin was found guilty of murder and manslaughter for killing George Floyd in the pavement with his knee on the Black man's neck in a case that touched off worldwide protests, violence and a historic re-examination of racism and policing in the U.S.

Chauvin, 40, could be sent to prison for decades.

People cited by the verdict blamed the surrounding street demonstrators upon hearing the news. Cars honked their horns, and people ran through traffic, celebrating.

Floyd family members gazed at Minneapolis conference rooms could be heard cheering from the next rooms as each verdict was read.

The jury of six white people and six Black or multiracial people came back with its verdict after about 10 hours of deliberation, almost two days. Chauvin.

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George Floyd's brother Pharoah Floyd, left, and attorney Ben Crump react after a guilty verdict was announced Tuesday at the trial of former Minneapolis police Officer Derek Chauvin for the 2020 death of George Floyd in Minneapolis. AP Photo/Chris Wedel

Local activists: 'We still have a long way to go'