



Ohio Attorney General's Office
Bureau of Criminal Investigation
Investigative Report



2022-1356

Officer-Involved Critical Incident – 1659 S. Main Street, Akron, Ohio
44301

Investigative Activity: Search Warrant
Activity Date: July 8, 2022
Activity Location: BCI - Richfield
Authoring Agent: SA Matthew Armstrong #146

Narrative:

Search Warrant Obtained:

On July 8, 2022, Ohio Bureau of Criminal Investigation (BCI) Special Agent (SA) Matthew Armstrong drafted a search warrant for account and location detail records relative to an Officer-Involved Critical Incident June 27, 2022. The search warrant was specifically related to Jayland Walker's Google account.

On July 8, 2022, at 1300 hours, SA Armstrong met with Summit County Court of Common Pleas Judge Kelly McLaughlin who reviewed the search warrant, search warrant affidavit, non-disclosure order, application to seal and order to seal. Judge McLaughlin signed/authorized the search warrant, non-disclosure order, and order to seal.

Search Warrant Executed:

On July 8, 2022, SA Armstrong executed/served the aforementioned search warrant by submitting it to Google through the Law Enforcement Records System (LERS), Google's online portal at 1453 hours. SA Armstrong also submitted a preservation request for Walker's account.

On July 8, 2022, Google confirmed receipt of the preservation letter and search warrant and provided the following reference number Google Reference. No. 21002860 and Google Reference. No. 21001979.

On August 18, 2022, SA Armstrong received an electronic copy of the requested records from Google via a download from LERS. They have been placed on a DVD and stored in the BCI SIU case file as Reference Item #M.

Search Warrant Returned:

On Thursday, September 8, 2022, SA Joseph Goudy met with Judge Kelly McLaughlin who reviewed and signed the search warrant return.

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SA Goudy then filed the original search warrant, search warrant affidavit, inventory, application to seal, order to seal, non-disclosure order and search warrant return with the Summit County Clerk of Courts.

A copy of the search warrant documents and search inventory are attached to this investigative report.

Reference Items:

Item M – Google data production for Jaylan Walker account

Attachments:

2022-09-08 File Search Warrant - Walker Google Data

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