



Ohio Bureau of Criminal Identification & Investigation
INVESTIGATIVE REPORT



12/19/2012 REVIEW OF IN-CAR VIDEO FROM CPD POLICE CRUISER 9606

Summary

On December 18, 2012, at approximately 1405 hours, Cleveland Police Department Commander James Chura, Integrity Control Section, Department of Public Safety, Division of Police provided a DVD to Cuyahoga County Sheriff's Office Detective David A. Jacobs. The DVD was labeled 11/29/2012 @ 2233 hours, car 9606 dash video (Prep: CPD#1508). The collected DVD was reviewed by Special Agent David Pauly on December 19, 2012.

Details

On December 18, 2012, Special Agent Mark Kollar was provided a DVD from Cuyahoga County Sheriff's Detective David Jacobs. On December 19, 2012, Special Agent David Pauly was requested to review the DVD and summarize its content. The following information was gathered from the DVD:

- The DVD first depicts a view, in a Northwest direction, from the dash camera in Cleveland Police Cruiser 9606.
- In front of CPD 9606 is another Cleveland Police Cruiser stopped in the street, also facing in a Northwest direction. The recorded time on CPD 9606 dash camera indicates 22:33:09 at the start of the video.
- The CPD cruisers appear to be in a populated city street, with two lanes of travel, and parking on both the East and West sides of the street.

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- At 22:33:45 hours, a police officer exits the passenger side of CPD 9606, runs up to the passenger side of the CPD cruiser stopped in front of it. There appears to be a brief discussion and at 22:33:57 hours, the police officer runs back to CPD 9606, and back into the passenger side of the cruiser.
- Upon the officer re-entering CPD 9606, the cruiser immediately drives away from the other cruiser, conducting a U-Turn southeast bound and entering an intersection, lights and siren activated. CPD 9606 continues S/E bound, then veering south to southwest bound and then southwest bound across a 4-laned bridge.
- There is some audio from dispatch; however, very faint at times and difficult to discern from the DVD.
- CPD 9606 continues S/W bound from the bridge and onto a four-lane street, appearing to be within a downtown business district, eventually veering westbound. CPD 9606 dash camera shows two additional police cruisers (lights activated), approximately 300-400 feet ahead of CPD 9606, along the same city street.
- At 22:35:26 hours, CPD 9606 catches up to the other two police cruisers. All three cruisers turn left (southwest bound) onto a small two-lane residential street. The three cruisers continue southwest, veering southbound, along the same street for several blocks, turning right (southwest bound) onto another business district street.
- Continuing S/W bound for several blocks, CPD 9606 was passed by another police vehicle (unmarked) at 22:37:23 hours, and yet another marked police cruiser (lights/sirens), at 22:37:31 hours passes CPD 9606, as CPD 9606 pulls off to the right, to allow for two other cruisers to pass by. CPD 9606 then resumes the pursuit following those police vehicles at 22:37:51, westbound.
- At 22:37:55, CPD 9606 follows the other police cruisers, turning left (south), and then another quick left (east) waiting at the intersection for several (3) other police cruisers to join the pursuit. CPD 9606 follows behind the three newly-joined police cruisers at 22:38:18 hours. The pursuit continues eastbound through a residential area. Dispatch audio can be heard indicating "Already in the first district now" at this time period.
- After several blocks, at 22:38:33 hours, CPD 9606 dash camera depicts a police cruiser directly in front of CPD 9606, turning left (north) onto another street. CPD 9606 appears to have shut its cruiser lights off and continues eastbound along the same city street, following pursuit cruisers that also continued eastbound for several more blocks, activating the lights at each intersection.
- At 22:39:11 hours, CPD 9606 was still traveling eastbound when another police cruiser, driving westbound, passed with its lights and sirens on. At 22:40:32 hours, CPD 9606 appears to activate his lights/siren and begins to accelerate, continuing eastbound through several blocks of business and residential areas.

- At 22:41:28 hours, CPD 9606 slows the cruiser down, crosses an intersection, and then conducts a U-Turn, with the vehicle now headed in a westbound direction. Upon making the turn back westbound, CPD 9606 dash camera shows eight (8) marked police cruisers and two (2) unmarked police vehicles traveling northbound, lights and sirens activated. CPD 9606 waits until the tenth cruiser travels past, northbound, then turns right (northbound) following behind the other cruisers.
- At 22:42:52 hours, CPD 9606 continues to follow behind the other cruisers in the pursuit onto the Interstate 90 East on-ramp. CPD 9606 then continues to travel northeast bound on I-90. At 22:44:57 hours, CPD 9606 slows down and veers right, off an exit ramp at Lakeside Avenue. At this time the video stops.

Special Agent Pauly concluded the review of the CPD Cruiser 9606 in-car video DVD. The DVD was turned over as Exhibit #48 for this case file.