



Ohio Bureau of Criminal Identification & Investigation
INVESTIGATIVE REPORT



12/20/2012 REPORTS RECEIVED FROM CUYAHOGA COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE

Summary


On December 20, 2012 Special Agent Brenda McNeely received reports from the Cuyahoga County Sheriff's Office detectives regarding the ongoing investigation into the officer involved shooting in East Cleveland, Ohio.

Details

On December 20, 2012 Special Agent Brenda McNeely received reports from the Cuyahoga County Sheriff's Office detectives regarding the ongoing investigation into the officer involved shooting in East Cleveland, Ohio. The reports received were as follows:

12/19/12 – Summary of attempt to locate and interview Tim Noel

12/20/12 – Receipt of CPD Intersection Video and subsequent report reviewing CD –
Exhibit #113

File Number: SI-18-12-82-1493	File Title: Timothy R. Russell (S) Malissa A. Williams (S)
Case Agent: Mark Kollar	Authoring Agent: Brenda McNeely <i>Bm</i>
Date of Report: 12/21/2012	Exhibit #: 113
Investigative Activity: Reports Received from Cuyahoga County Sheriff Office Detectives	Supervisor Approval: Dennis Sweet  JAN 17 2013

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Cuyahoga County Sheriff's office
Attempt to Locate, Identify and Interview Tim Noel

December 19th 2012

Sir

On Wednesday December 19th 2012 at approximately 0800 hours, Sergeant Cleland attempted to locate a subject known only as Tim Noel (reported to be a resident of the homeless shelter at 2100 Lakeside avenue Cleveland Ohio). Tim Noel gave a statement to the Cleveland Plain Dealer regarding the events of 11/29/2012; Sergeant Cleland was attempting to contact Tim Noel to see what additional information he may have regarding the traffic stop made by Officer Jordan on that night. Cuyahoga County Sheriff's Office Sergeant Donald Cleland questioned individuals at the Cosgrove center 1736 Superior Avenue. A large majority of residents of the shelter at 2100 Lakeside are fed breakfast and lunch at the Cosgrove center, the probability of locating Tim Noel would be high as a rapport with the staff of this facility is present.

Upon arrival, Sergeant Cleland first spoke with Ms. Vanhorn, dining room supervisor, and handles the check in of each person eating at each meal. Ms. Vanhorn said that the name Tim Noel is not in there system and was not known to her.

Ms. Terrell Valentine, human services worker, Cosgrove Center, was asked if she was aware of a Tim Noel or anyone who may have used that name. Ms. Valentine stated that she does not recognize that name or know of anyone using that name.

CMHA police Officer Manuel Leon was working as an off duty part time officer at the Cosgrove center. Sergeant Cleland asked if he knew of any person using the name Tim Noel who may be at the Cosgrove center. Officer Leon stated that he had never heard that name and believed it to be a false name used by a resident to hide there identity.

Sergeant Cleland identified himself to a number of the clients of the Cosgrove center who stay at the shelter at 2100 Lakeside Avenue, most had little to say other than "I'm not talking to no police". One individual later identified as Henry Banks claimed to know about Officer Jordan's actions on the night of 11/29/2012 but was reluctant to talk.

Ebony Hall has been an open informant and has a trusted relationship with the homeless community. Sergeant Cleland spoke with Ebony Hall regarding Tim Noel, Ebony Hall stated that she knows who spoke to the Plain Dealer and that Tim Noel is a fictitious name. The man who gave the statement to the media believes he has warrants and will not meet face to face with police. Ebony hall would not provide the subjects name but advised that she will talk to him about giving a statement by telephone. Ebony Hall was provided a business card with Sergeant Cleland's contact information for the subject known as Tim Noel.

Ebony Hall was also advised if Sergeant Cleland is not available to contact Sergeant James Ruth whom she has also shared information. A statement was taken from Henry Banks by Sergeant Cleland, at the time of this report there has been no contact from the person known as Tim Noel.

Respectfully Submitted

Donald Cleland (OAS)

Sergeant Donald Cleland

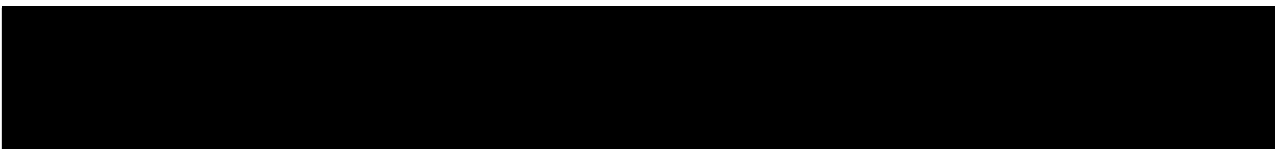
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CUYAHOGA COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE
SUPPLEMENTAL REPORT

UDF INVESTIGATION CPD 11/29/12
re: CPD Intersection Video Pick-Up

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School Board Building South (Key Tower Complex)
Ontario & Rockwell NW
Tower City
Euclid & E. Roadway
Huron & Ontario
Carnegie & E. 9th
East 9th & Bolivar
Huron & E. 6th
West 6th & St. Clair NW
West 25th & Lorain
Lorain & Gehring
Westside Market (East of W. 25th front of the Westside)

Director Palinkas advised that the other requested video were not available because those videos cameras were effected by a previous weather event and had not been repaired.

Respectfully Submitted,

James Mackey, Detective

Cuyahoga County Sheriff's Office
Supplemental Report

CPD Use of Force Investigation 11/29/12

Subject: [REDACTED] Intersection Video



Camera Number	Name	Location
1	St. Clair & Ontario	Ontario and St. Clair Ave Intersection North
2	Key Tower Complex North	School Board North Roof
3	Key Tower Complex South	School Board South Roof
4	Ontario & Rockwell SE View	Ontario and Rockwell Intersection South
5	Ontario & Rockwell NE View	Ontario and Rockwell Intersection North
6	Superior & W. Roadway	Superior and W. Roadway Intersection West
7	Superior & Ontario	Superior and Ontario Ave. Intersection North
8	Superior & Ontario	Superior and Ontario Ave. Intersection South
9	Superior & East Roadway	Superior and E. Roadway Intersection East
10	Tower City Tower	Tower City Roof
11	Euclid & Ontario	Euclid and Ontario Ave. Intersection South
12	Euclid & East Roadway	Euclid and E. Roadway Intersection East
13	W. Prospect	West Prospect Ave. North
14	Huron & Ontario	Huron and Ontario Ave. Intersection North
15	Ontario (Bolivar & Eagle)	Ontario and Bolivar Intersection West
16	Ontario & Carnegie	Ontario Ave and Carnegie Ave. Intersection South
17	Carnegie & E. 9th	E. 9th and Carnegie Intersection East
18	E. 9th & Bolivar	E. 9th and Bolivar Intersection East
19	Huron & E. 6th	E. 6th and Huron Intersection North
20	W. 6th	W. 6th and St. Clair Ave. Intersection West
21	E. 6th & St. Clair	E. 6th and St. Clair Intersection South

Camera Number	Name	Location
22	E. 6th & Superior	E. 6th and Superior Intersection South
23	E. 9th & Superior	E. 9th and Superior Intersection South
24	E. 9th & St. Clair	E. 9th and St. Clair Intersection North
25	Prospect & Huron	Prospect and Huron North
26	W. 25th & Lorain	
27	W. 24th & Lorain	

Director Palinkas provided a CD with video of 11/29/12 from 10:20 to 10:40 of Superior/E. Roadway, Superior/W. Roadway, Superior/Ontario NW and Superior/Ontario SE. The video on initial viewing did not reveal anything noteworthy except a Sheriff SUV can be seen around the 22:34 timestamp.

I was also informed that the cameras at E. 6th/Superior and E. 9/Superior were down due to weather issues.

Respectfully Submitted,

James Mackey, Detective
Cuyahoga County Sheriff's Office