



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



2024-1584
Officer Involved Critical Incident, 27695 Tracy Road, Walbridge,
OH 43465, (L)

Investigative Activity: Document Review
Date of Activity: 07/15/2024
Author: SA Tiffany Najmulski, #49

Narrative:

The lab report came back regarding a latent print's examination of the rifle magazine allegedly being found in the ditch at 27695 Tracy Road, Walbridge, Ohio. The .22 caliber magazine was found by Beau Purtee's mother, Tracy Jurski, who notified the Perrysburg Township Police Department who then submitted it to the Ohio Bureau of Criminal Investigation for examination.

The lab report indicated there were no prints found on the magazine. The magazine is not compatible with the AR's carried by the Perrysburg Township Police Department officers.

Attached is the lab report and the Perrysburg Township Police Department report.

Attachments:

- Attachment # 01: Rifle magazine latent prints
- Attachment # 02: Perrysburg TWSP ref clip found
- Attachment # 03: 2024 07 08 Rifle Magazine Examination
- Attachment # 04: DMH_6950 (2)

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OHIO ATTORNEY GENERAL

Bureau of Criminal Investigation

Laboratory Report
Latent Prints

To: BCI / Bowling Green
S/A Tiffany Najmulski
750 N. College Drive
Bowling Green, OH 43402

BCI Laboratory Number: 24-21622

Analysis Date: July 15, 2024

Issue Date: July 15, 2024

Agency Case Number: 2024-1584 BCI
BCI Agent: Emily Miller

Offense: Shooting Involving an Officer
Subject(s):
Victim(s):

Submitted on July 03, 2024 by Scott C. Moskowitz

10. Brown paper bag containing DNA Evidence rifle magazine foreign to scene

Item	Description	Findings	Comparison Conclusions
10	rifle magazine	negative	--

Remarks

The evidence is being returned to your department for retention.

Analytical Detail

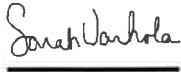
All non-exemplar items listed above were visually examined for the presence of latent prints. Item #10 was examined using chemical and/or physical processing techniques.

Please address inquiries to the office indicated, using the BCI case number.

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Bowling Green, OH 43402
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Based on scientific analyses performed, this report contains opinions and interpretations by the analyst whose signature appears above. Examination documentation and any demonstrative data supporting laboratory conclusions are maintained by BCI and will be made available for review upon request. Results relate only to the items tested.

Your feedback is important to us! Please complete our Laboratory Satisfaction Survey at: <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/Q9VQHL5>

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Education

- Master of Science in Forensic Science and Law. 2011. Duquesne University. Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania
- Bachelor of Arts in Biochemistry. 2010. Duquesne University. Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania

Professional Experience

- Ohio Bureau of Criminal Investigation Laboratory. Forensic Scientist. July 2011-Present
- Duquesne University. Adjunct Faculty, Latent Print Analysis. September 2014 – December 2022.
- Pittsburgh Police. Mobile Crime Unit Intern. Summer 2010.

Required Technical Training

- Ohio Bureau of Criminal Investigation. Latent Print Training. July 2011 – August 2012.
- National Forensic Science and Technology Center. Latent Print Examiner Training Program. October 2011 – June 2012.

Memberships

- International Association of Identification. 2011 – Present
- Ohio Identification Officers Association. 2020 – Present
- International Biometrics Association. 2021 – Present

A complete CV can be made available upon request

Updated 03/27/2024

PERRYSBURG TOWNSHIP POLICE



Non Offense

Detailed

INCD#: 1-24-085297

CFS#: 24-006458

32.004 - Property/Found

Printed On: 07/25/2024 1:52 PM

Incident Location

Location Type:
District/Zone: NORTH
Beat/Area:
Bus/Common: FRIENDLY VILLAGE 1-SOUTH
Address: 27695 TRACY RD Suite 561
PERRYSBURG TWP, OH 43465

Report Information

Date: 06/20/2024 At: 15:26:42
Report Type: Non Offense

Incident Date and Time

From: 06/20/2024 At: 15:26:42
To: 06/20/2024 At: 15:26:42

Involved Party Relationship

Person Type Involved Party

Incident Origin

How Received: Phone
Received From: 15:26:42 Thru: 15:40:25 Elapsed Time: 14 minutes
Entered By: DONNELL, MORGAN
Entry Date: 6/20/2024 At: 15:40:28
Dispatched Nature: Property/Found

Incident Characteristics

Rpt. Officer: MOSKOWITZ, SCOTT
Shift:
Lighting:
Weather:
Citations:
 Weapons Involved Cargo Theft Related

Caller Information

Last Name: GILL Address:
First Name: CHRIS
Middle Name: Phone:

Approval Information

Officer: Date: At:

Responders and Times

<u>Responder ID</u>	<u>Dispatched</u>	<u>Enroute</u>	<u>At Scene</u>	<u>Cleared</u>	<u>Other</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>Reporting Officer</u>
BALL, JOSEPH W III	15:26:58	15:26:58	15:26:58	15:39:57		13	No
CURTIS, JESSICA LYNN	15:26:59	15:26:59	15:26:59	15:39:56		13	No
SLUSHER, JEFFREY J	15:26:58	15:26:58	15:26:58	15:40:03		14	No

Clearances

Date Time Type
06/20/2024 1614 Investigation Pending

Exceptional Clearances

Date Type Disposition

Properties

Property Type: Firearm Accessories
Make: JC1
Model: RIFLE MAGAZINE
Style:
Caliber: 7.62 X 54
Color:
Notes:
Color 2:
Serial No./VIN:
PIN: 1-24-085297-001
Unit of Measure:
Quantity:
Property Value:

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Status

Date: 06/20/2024
Owner:
Address:

NCIC

Number:
Date:
Status: N/A
Cancelled/Cleared Date:

Collection Information

Collected By: CURTIS, JESSICA
Date: 06/20/2024
At: 1556

Location: 27695 TRACY RD 561 PERRYSBURG TWP Ohio 43465
Latitude:
Longitude:

Property Activity

Date	Time	Activity	Agency	Quantity	Value
07/03/2024	936	Evidence	PERRYSBURG TOWNSHIP POLICE	1.00	

Offense Relationship

Code	Description
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Involved Party Relationship

Person Type	Involved Party
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Reporting Officer Signature: _____

Signed Date:

Approving Officer Signature: _____

Signed Date:

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Narratives

Subject:

Type

Date Time Author

Approving Officer

Initial Narrative

06/20/2024 1526 MOSKOWITZ, SCOTT C

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Narratives

Subject:

Type

Date Time Author

Approving Officer

Dispatch Narrative

06/20/2024 1527 DONNELL, MORGAN

06/20/2024 15:27:18 - CLIENT FOUND A .22 MAGAZINE AT THIS LOCATION

06/20/2024 15:27:23 - IN THE DITCH LINE, NEAR THE CEMENT PART

06/20/2024 15:40:09 - 10/8 BOY WITH PROPERTY

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Narratives

Subject:

Type
Supplement

Date Time Author
06/20/2024 1601 CURTIS, JESSICA LYNN

Approving Officer
MOSKOWITZ, SCOTT C

On 06/20/2024, I arrived on scene in Friendly Village along the ditch line with Lt Moskowitz. A magazine was located inside of the drain inside of the ditch just north of the park along Tracy Road. I took photos of the magazine inside of the drain and I placed it into a bag, while wearing gloves. The magazine was transported to Perrysburg Township Police Department and placed into the property room.

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Narratives

Subject:

Type
Supplement

Date Time Author
06/20/2024 1605 MOSKOWITZ, SCOTT C

Approving Officer
MOLTER, DAVID JR

On the above date I responded to the listed location. Dispatch advised Chris Gill who is a private investigator contacted them and advised the family of Beau Purtee had located a magazine in the culvert on Tracy Road where the Officer Involved shooting had occurred. Once on scene we located the rifle magazine in the place they advised it was. I attempted to contact the BCI Agents that were handling the case but were unsuccessful. I then contacted BCI Crime Scene Agent Dave Hammond and advised him what we located. Agent Hammond advised to photograph and then collect the item. Detective Curtis and Slusher did that. Agent Hammond also advised Supervisor Agent Scott Stranahan was made aware of the finding and would contact us for further.

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Narratives

Subject:

Type
Supplement

Date Time Author
06/20/2024 1624 SLUSHER, JEFFREY J

Approving Officer
MOSKOWITZ, SCOTT C

On 6-20-2024 this investigator assisted Lt Moskowitz and Det Curtis collect found property in the area the listed location. The property was a rifle magazine that was in a large concrete drainage pipe. The drainage pipe was in a large drainage ditch on the west side of Tracy Road. The drainage pipe was west of the drainage ditch.

The item was photographed by this investigator from the east bank of the drainage ditch and in the Perrysburg Township pre-property room. The item was using standard evidence collection techniques.

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Narratives

Subject:

Type
Supplement

Date Time Author
07/04/2024 1542 BALL, JOSEPH W III

Approving Officer
MOSKOWITZ, SCOTT C

On 6-20-24, this agency received a call from Chris Gill who is a private investigator. I contacted Mr. Gill via telephone at which time he advised me that the family of the deceased male who is the subject of an officer involved shooting, advised him that they located a firearm magazine in the concrete culvert near the site of the incident. Mr. Gill requested that our agency investigate the item.

This Sergeant responded to the area along with detectives and was able to observe the magazine in question in the place that Mr. Gill described.

Based on my training and experience as a firearms instructor, armorer and OPOTA Firearms subject matter expert, I immediately identified the magazine as a component of a .22 long rifle conversion kit often used to allow an AR-15 style rifle to chamber and fire a smaller .22lr cartridge. Detective Curtis collected the magazine at which time I was able to visually inspect the item. I confirmed that the magazine was a plastic .22lr conversion magazine that could only function in a firearm that contained the corresponding conversion bolt carrier group or a dedicated AR-15 style rifle chambered in .22lr.

I contacted Mr. Gill and advised him that the Detective Bureau collected the item.



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2024-1584
Officer Involved Critical Incident – 27695, Tracy Road, Walbridge,
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Investigative Activity: Crime Scene Analysis
Involves: Beau D Purtee (V)
Date of Activity: 07/08/2024
Activity Location: BCI Bowling Green – 750 N. College Dr, Bowling Green, OH 43402
Author: SA David Hammond, #120

Narrative:

On 07/08/2024 at 0930 hours, S/A Hammond and CST E. Miller met with evidence receiving at the Bowling Green Office of BCI. Crime Scene Investigators requested lab item 24-21622 #10 for further examination. SAS Stranahan notified investigators that an article of potential evidence was found near the scene by the deceased's mother, days after the scene examination.

SAS Stranahan requested that S/A Hammond and CST Miller retrieve the item, photograph it and determine if the item of evidence could have been at the deceased's house when it was examined, the day after the initial event.

Evidence Information:

Brown paper bag, containing:

Perrysburg Twp. PD 1-24-085297-001 Rifle Mag Found Property

The item of evidence was taken to the vehicle examination bay. The table surface was sterilized by CST E. Miller and covered with new, clean Kraft paper. The item was opened and placed onto the Kraft paper. Scaled photographs of the items were taken. The item appeared to be a gray, AR style rifle magazine, chambered in 22LR. The magazine was empty. The magazine did not have any markings to indicate a manufacturer, model or caliber.

The follower and floor plate retainer of the magazine was orange. The magazine had distinct manufacturers screws along the edge. A search of the internet found a similar magazine in shape, color and manufacturing assembly. That magazine was a CMMG, 10 round, 22LR magazine. Other possibilities exist.

The magazine was returned to its original packaging, sealed and returned to evidence receiving

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(approximately 0950 hours, 07/08/2024).

Investigation to continue.

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