



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



2025-0512

Officer Involved Critical Incident - 294 Ira Avenue, Akron,
OH 44301, Summit County

Investigative Activity: Attendance at Autopsy

Involves: Marcus Smith (S)

Activity Date: 02/18/2025

Activity Location: Summit County Medical Examiner's Office
85 N. Summit St., Akron, OH 44308

Authoring Agent: SA Allison Fletcher #187

Narrative:

On Tuesday, February 18, 2025, the Akron Police Department (APD) requested Bureau of Criminal Investigation (BCI) assistance at the scene of an officer-involved critical incident at 294 Ira Avenue, Akron, Ohio. As part of that investigation, Special Agent (SA) Allison Fletcher (Fletcher) was requested to attend the post-mortem examination of the decedent, Marcus Smith (Smith). The examination was conducted on February 18, 2025, at the Summit County Medical Examiner's Office in Akron, Ohio. The post-mortem examination was conducted by Dr. Robert Shott, MD.

The following observations were made during the course of the autopsy:

[REDACTED]

SA Fletcher requested to receive a copy of the full autopsy and toxicology reports once available.

As a result of the autopsy, the following items of evidence were collected and transferred to the custody of SA Fletcher on February 21, 2025:

1. Samples of head and pubic hair, fingernail clippings, fingerprints, and DNA blood standard card
2. Eight (8) projectiles recovered during autopsy
3. One (1) pair of underwear
4. One (1) wristwatch
5. Two (2) necklaces, one (1) necklace medallion
6. One (1) bracelet

The aforementioned items were subsequently transported to the BCI office in Richfield, Ohio, where they were photographed and then submitted to the temporary evidence

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room. The evidence transfer sheets documenting the exchange is attached to this investigative report.

No defects were observed in any of the personal belongings of Smith. The photographs have been stored in evidence.com as Reference Item F.

References:

Reference Item F – Photos SCMEO Evidence Items

Attachments:

1. 2025-02-21 SCMEO Evidence-property returned
2. 2025-02-21 SCMEO-BCI evidence receipt

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SUMMIT COUNTY MEDICAL EXAMINER

85 N. Summit Street Akron, OH 44308-1948

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EVIDENCE/PROPERTY RETURNED RECEIPT

Case Number:	Decedent	Transferred Date
2025-000556	Marcus Leonard Smith	02/21/2025

Autopsy Evidence 1 Evidence for Marcus Smith

One sample of head hair and pubic hair
One sample of left and right fingernail clippings
Fingerprints
DNA Blood Standard Card
Eight bullets recovered during autopsy

One pair of underwear
One wristwatch
Two necklaces
One necklace medallion
One bracelet

Agency: BCI

Received by: SA FLETCHER

Returned by: Gary Guenther

Signature: SA Fletcher

Date/Time: 02/21/2025 10:37:39 AM



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Inventory/Receipt Attachment

I received the below listed property from (person/location):

Signed JOA HUTCHER
Inventory Agent

Date 2/21/25 1040

Items	Released By	Received By	Date/Time
1 2	JCMED	SA FLETCHER	2/21/25 1040