



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



2025-0596

Officer Involved Critical Incident – 236 McKinley Ave, Piqua, OH
(Miami County) (L)

Investigative Activity: Document Review, Information Provided/Obtained, Police Recorded Calls Review, Police Report Review, Radio Traffic Review, Review MDT Traffic

Involves: Piqua Police Department (O)

Date of Activity: 02/21/2025

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Narrative:

On February 21, 2025, agents from the Ohio Bureau of Criminal Investigation (BCI) Special met with members of the Piqua Police Department relative to the officer-involved critical incident that occurred earlier that evening at 236 McKinley Ave., Piqua, Ohio. During the evening, agents advised Piqua PD officials of incident-related documentation and other records needed for the BCI investigation. Records requested and later obtained included copies of the following:

- 911 calls
- Radio traffic
- CAD report
- Piqua FD run report
- BWC recordings
- PD incident report

References:

Axon Evidence.com

Attachments:

Attachment # 01: EMS Run Report
Attachment # 02: 236 McKinley Ave. Radio Traffic
Attachment # 03: 911 Call-Disturbance 236 McKinley Ave
Attachment # 04: CAD Report
Attachment # 05: Piqua Police Department MDT Messages
Attachment # 06: 25PI02671 – Piqua PD Incident Report

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Exhibit 1



INCIDENT

Incident Number [REDACTED] Incident Date 02/21/2025 NFIRS Number 0000712 Incident Type (321) - EMS call, excluding vehicle accident with injury

FDID 55021 Station Piqua Fire Department Station 21 Shift Shift 3 District 25 RR/South-W. of McKinley

Initial Dispatch Code MD TRAUMA

Alarms Working Fire? COVID-19 was a factor Critical Incident Team

Temporary Resident Involvement

Hazardous Materials Released

Action Taken 1 [REDACTED]

AID

Aid Given/Received (N) - None

LOCATION

Location Type (1) - Street address

Address 236 MCKINLEY Avenue, PIQUA, Ohio, 45356

Cross Street, USNG, or Directions Latitude 0.00000000 Longitude 0.00000000 Census Tract

Detector Alerted Occupant

Property Use (419) - 1 or 2 family dwelling Mixed Use

TIMES

PSAP Received 16:44:46, 02/21/2025 Dispatch Notified Time 16:44:46, 02/21/2025 Alarm Time 16:44:46, 02/21/2025

Arrival Time 17:00:03, 02/21/2025 Water on Fire Time At Patient Time

Loss Stop Time Controlled Time Last Unit Cleared Time 17:34:40, 02/21/2025

TIMES

Total On Scene Time
0 hrs 34 mins 37 sec

Total Incident Time
0 hrs 49 mins 54 sec

COUNTS

Counts Include Aid Received?
No

Suppression:

Apparatus Personnel
1 2

EMS:

Apparatus Personnel
1 2

Other:

Apparatus Personnel
0 0

PERSON/OWNER

AUTHORIZATION

Report Writer:

Name Employee Number Assignment Authorization Date
MAAS, DREW [REDACTED]

Officer in Charge:

Name Employee Number Assignment Authorization Date
MAAS, DREW [REDACTED]

Quality Control:

Name Authorization Date

INCIDENT NARRATIVE

For narrative, see EHR incident number [REDACTED]

Created By:

Unit Reports

PIM24

Use (2) - EMS Responding From Priority Emergent

Response Delays
None/No Delay

Dispatch Time 16:56:19, 02/21/2025 Enroute Time 16:57:47, 02/21/2025 Arrival Time 17:00:03, 02/21/2025

At Patient Time Clear Time 17:34:16, 02/21/2025 In District Time

Actions Taken:

[REDACTED]

Personnel
DREW MAAS, Adam Coe

PIE23

Use (1) - Suppression	Responding From	Priority Emergent
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Response Delays
None/No Delay

Dispatch Time 16:56:19, 02/21/2025	Enroute Time 16:57:13, 02/21/2025	Arrival Time 17:00:26, 02/21/2025
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At Patient Time	Clear Time 17:34:40, 02/21/2025	In District Time
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Actions Taken:



Personnel

VANCE MCCULLA, Jake Eidemiller

Exhibit 2

Included as a separate file.

Exhibit 3

Included as a separate file.

Exhibit 4



PIQUA POLICE DEPARTMENT

Case Report for Incident 25PI02671

Nature: DISTURBANCE
Location: PISO

Address: 236 MCKINLEY AVE
PIQUA OH 45356

Offense Codes:

Received By: B E PARRISH **How Received:** T **Agency:** PIP

Responding Officers: H L MOTE, J W HEATH, A F KIMPEL, Z SMITH, M A RODRIGUEZ, J T YENSER, J M HITE,
W D THOMAS, J B WEBER, R M GEARING, C D HARGIS, M G RUETENIK, C R YINGST, J J
KOEHLER

Responsible Officer: H L MOTE **Disposition:** ACT 02/21/25

When Reported: 16:44:46 02/21/25 **Occurred Between:** 16:44:46 02/21/25 and 16:47:41 02/21/25

Assigned To: **Detail:** **Date Assigned:** **/**/**

Status: **Status Date:** **/**/** **Due Date:** **/**/**

Complainant:

Last: **First:** **Mid:**

DOB: **/**/** **Dr Lic:** **Address:**

Race: **Sex:** **Phone:** **City:** ,

Offense Codes

Reported: **Observed:**

Circumstances

Responding Officers:	Unit :
H L MOTE	219
J W HEATH	209
A F KIMPEL	234
Z SMITH	211
M A RODRIGUEZ	239
J T YENSER	229
J M HITE	230
W D THOMAS	207
J B WEBER	214
R M GEARING	228
C D HARGIS	203
M G RUETENIK	233
C R YINGST	204

J J KOEHLER 210

Responsible Officer: H L MOTE

Received By: B E PARRISH

How Received: T TELEPHONE

When Reported: 16:44:46 02/21/25

Judicial Status:

Misc Entry:

Agency: PIP

Last Radio Log: 21:32:48 02/21/25 CMLPT

Clearance: Blank

Disposition: ACT **Date:** 02/21/25

Occurred between: 16:44:46 02/21/25

and: 16:47:41 02/21/25

Modus Operandi:

Description :

Method :

Involvements


Date	Type	Description	
02/21/25	Cad Call	16:44:46 02/21/25 DISTURBANCE	Initiating Call


Narrative

Responsible LEO:

Approved by:

Date

 CAD Call: 16:44 02/21/2025 DISTURBANCE

When Reported: 16:44:46 02/21/2025 Address: 236 MCKINLEY AVE PIQUA : Directions: Occurred between: 16:44:46 02/21/2025 and 16:47:41 02/21/2025 Contact: TAMMY Phone: [REDACTED]	 Complainant Name: Address: Race: Sex: Phone: Birth Date:	Call ID: 250205449 Type: lf Alarm #:
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Other Information:

Received via: TELEPHONE
Received by: B E PARRISH
Hold Until:
Priority: 1

Comments:

16:45:45 02/21/2025 - B E PARRISH
 INTOX SON WAS PHYSICAL WITH THE RP
 16:46:01 02/21/2025 - B E PARRISH
 RP STEPPED OUTSIDE TO CALL
 16:46:16 02/21/2025 - B E PARRISH
 DAVID WEST IS THE SON , HE IS STILL INSIDE
 16:46:37 02/21/2025 - B E PARRISH
 USE CAUTION FLAG
 16:47:29 02/21/2025 - B E PARRISH
 DAVID HAD SHOVED RP DOWN AND RP HIT HEAD
 16:47:43 02/21/2025 - B E PARRISH
 DAVID LOOKED LIKE HE WAS ABOUT TO START THROWING PUNCHES
 16:54:50 02/21/2025 - A CARSON - From: A F KIMPEL
 SEND UNITS / ARMED SUSPECT

 16:55:01 02/21/2025 - A CARSON - From: A F KIMPEL
 SHOTS FIRED

 16:55:26 02/21/2025 - A CARSON - From: M A RODRIGUEZ
 SHOTS FIRED

 16:55:38 02/21/2025 - A CARSON
 CHANNEL LOCKED DOWN
 16:56:36 02/21/2025 - A CARSON - From: A F KIMPEL
 MALE SHOT / MALE IS BREATHING / ALIVE / GUNSHOT CWOOUND

 16:57:42 02/21/2025 - T NEWBRIGHT
 207 HAS BEEN ADVD
 16:58:47 02/21/2025 - A CARSON - From: A F KIMPEL
 GSW TO STOMACH BACK SHOULDER

 16:58:53 02/21/2025 - A C HEMPY - From: PIE23
 PUT CAREFLIGHT ON STANDBY

 16:59:23 02/21/2025 - A C HEMPY
 CAREFLIGHT ON STANDBY
 17:00:33 02/21/2025 - A CARSON - From: Z SMITH

STARTING COMPRESSIONS

17:00:58 02/21/2025 - A C HEMPY - From: PIE23
WITH PATIENT NOW

17:01:17 02/21/2025 - A C HEMPY
STATION 21/ PAGE 1 AND 2 FOR 3

17:03:22 02/21/2025 - A C HEMPY
2811 ENRT

17:06:09 02/21/2025 - A CARSON - From: A F KIMPEL
EDITED RELEASE CHANNEL

17:08:57 02/21/2025 - A C HEMPY
2ND PAGE SENT TO ALL SHIFTS PER STATION 21

17:14:47 02/21/2025 - B E PARRISH
CAREFLIGHT CANCELED

17:18:57 02/21/2025 - S HINKLE
228/ CONTACT BCI, INVESTIGATIVE TEAM/ TO RESP/ CAN CALL MY CELL

17:22:12 02/21/2025 - S HINKLE
BCI ADVD

17:39:18 02/21/2025 - B E PARRISH
CHANNEL 7 NOELLE 937-259-2237 REQ PX
17:56:24 02/21/2025 - K L MILLER - From: R M GEARING
CONTACT CORONER HAVE HIM CONTACT MY CELL

17:58:29 02/21/2025 - K L MILLER
CORONER ADVISED

18:05:24 02/21/2025 - A C HEMPY
CORONER ENRT ETA 15

18:05:57 02/21/2025 - K L MILLER
CHANNEL 2 NEWS PX 9372935121 / REQ A PX

18:08:23 02/21/2025 - K L MILLER
DAYTON DAILY NEWS PX 9376107502 / REQ A PX

18:12:11 02/21/2025 - K L MILLER
ABC22 AND FOX45 DAYTON PX 9376731442 / REQ A PX

Radio Logs: 21:32:48 02/21/2025 - CMPLT

Involvements: Law - 02/21/2025 - DISTURBANCE - Initiating Call

{ Refresh Data }

Exhibit 5



PIQUA POLICE DEPARTMENT

Electronic Communications Report

06:40:35 02/21/25	F: B J MARRS	T: pihlm: pijmh: pijwh:	school zones!!!! I forgot to mention that in briefing.
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06:40:50 02/21/25	F: J M HITE	T: pibjm: pihlm: pijwh:	clr
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06:41:01 02/21/25	F: H L MOTE	T: pibjm: pijmh: pijwh:	clr
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06:47:27 02/21/25	F: J W HEATH	T: pihlm	that's just the trt guys
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06:47:51 02/21/25	F: H L MOTE	T: pijwh	thats what i thought, thanks!
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06:55:39 02/21/25	F: J M HITE	T: pibjm	the high school zone is 0700 right?
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06:56:54 02/21/25	F: B J MARRS	T: pijmh	CLOSE ENOUGH YES
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06:57:03 02/21/25	F: B J MARRS	T: pijmh	MAY BE FEW MINS BEFORE OR AFTER
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06:57:27 02/21/25	F: J M HITE	T: pibjm	ok thanks
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06:58:05 02/21/25	F: B J MARRS	T: pijmh	REMIND ME AND I WILL GET YOU A SHEET WITH ALL THE TIMES
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06:58:16 02/21/25	F: J M HITE	T: pibjm	i will
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07:13:47 02/21/25 F: A F KIMPEL T: dcbepe youre the only one that ever does it so
thought id just ask you for a new zip
list

07:18:42 02/21/25 F: A F KIMPEL T: dcbepe thank you

07:30:40 02/21/25 F: J M HITE T: pibjme do you stay until the lights shut off

07:31:46 02/21/25 F: B J MARRS T: pijmhe YOU CAN BUT DON'T HAVE TO

07:32:07 02/21/25 F: J M HITE T: pibjme ok i didnt know if the lights ran all day

07:32:20 02/21/25 F: B J MARRS T: pijmhe NO THEY RUN FOR ABOUT 45MIN OR SO

07:32:34 02/21/25 F: B J MARRS T: pijmhe IF TRAFFIC NOT HEAVY YOU CAN LEAVE

07:32:55 02/21/25 F: J M HITE T: pibjme its dying down now thank you

07:33:21 02/21/25 F: B J MARRS T: pijmhe YEP

07:59:57 02/21/25 F: A F KIMPEL T: pibjme i can go if you need to shadow or ill go
make sure hes alright

08:00:34 02/21/25 F: B J MARRS T: piafke I AM ABOUT 3. HE SHOULD HAVE CLEARED THAT
BY NOW

08:00:40 02/21/25 F: A F KIMPEL T: pibjme ok

08:08:44 02/21/25 F: B J MARRS T: pijmhe MEET ME AT ULBRICH

08:08:57 02/21/25	F: J M HITE	T: pibjm	clr
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08:28:22 02/21/25	F: J M HITE	T: pibjm	im running traffic on s college
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08:33:45 02/21/25	F: H L MOTE	T: pijwh	just looked at my boot...i stepped in cat shit at that open door call):
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08:36:16 02/21/25	F: J W HEATH	T: pihlm	i'm surprised i didn't
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08:36:19 02/21/25	F: J W HEATH	T: pihlm	it was everywhere
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08:36:22 02/21/25	F: J W HEATH	T: pihlm	that place was gross
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08:46:44 02/21/25	F: A F KIMPEL	T: dc92501	something in sidney
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08:47:40 02/21/25	F: A F KIMPEL	T: dc92501	thats all i know
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08:48:19 02/21/25	F: A F KIMPEL	T: dc92501	i try
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09:04:45 02/21/25	F: J W HEATH	T: pijmh	13+ is acceptable
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09:05:13 02/21/25	F: J M HITE	T: pijwh	THATS WHAT I THOUGHT TOO
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10:14:36 02/21/25	F: A F KIMPEL	T: pijmh	busy?
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10:14:50 02/21/25	F: J M HITE	T: piafk	no whats up
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10:14:55 02/21/25	F: A F KIMPEL	T: pijmh	1500 sweetbriar
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10:15:10 02/21/25	F: A F KIMPEL	T: pijmh	nicole vandyke has a warrant
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10:15:21 02/21/25	F: J M HITE	T: piafk	ill meet you there
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10:15:33 02/21/25	F: A F KIMPEL	T: pijmh	its her baby dads moms house, i dont know if they still stay there or not but if i go alone ill get in trouble
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10:16:16 02/21/25	F: J M HITE	T: piafk	im on south st so ill be there in a sec
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10:16:36 02/21/25	F: A F KIMPEL	T: pijmh	okay. i am just doing a busy status
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10:17:40 02/21/25	F: Z SMITH	T: pibjm	let me know when ur done with the wash card
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10:25:59 02/21/25	F: B J MARRS	T: piafk	HOW'D HE DO
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10:26:00 02/21/25	F: B J MARRS	T: piafk	?
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10:26:06 02/21/25	F: A F KIMPEL	T: pibjm	just fine
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10:26:16 02/21/25	F: B J MARRS	T: piafk	TY!
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10:31:07 02/21/25	F: M A WEER	T: cplmm	yes
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10:31:14 02/21/25	F: R S DANKWORTH	T: cplmm	YES HE IS
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10:31:22 02/21/25	F: M A WEER	T: cplmm	welcome
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10:32:02 02/21/25 F: B J MARRS T: pizms OK

10:32:14 02/21/25 F: B J MARRS T: pizms IN BAY AT WEST LOCATION NOW

10:32:25 02/21/25 F: Z SMITH T: pibjm ok

10:36:21 02/21/25 F: B J MARRS T: pimar CAN YOU HAVE THEM REASSIGN THAT TO 230

10:46:38 02/21/25 F: J B WEBER T: piafk: pibjm: donuts from dare grad are on the counter
pihlm: pijjk: pijmh:
pijwh: pimar: pimlc:
pirab: pirsd: pisgs:
pizms:

10:46:46 02/21/25 F: R S T: piafk: pibjm: THKS
DANKWORTH pihlm: pijbw: pijjk:
pijmh: pijwh: pimar:
pimlc: pirab: pisgs:
pizms:

10:46:59 02/21/25 F: B J MARRS T: piafk: pihlm: TY!
pijbw: pijjk: pijmh:
pijwh: pimar: pimlc:
pirab: pirsd: pisgs:
pizms:

11:44:16 02/21/25 F: J M HITE T: pijwh CAN I COME GET THE WASH CARD FROM YOU

11:45:10 02/21/25 F: J W HEATH T: pijmh sure

11:45:21 02/21/25 F: J W HEATH T: pijmh my wash just started

12:07:44 02/21/25	F: B J MARRS	T: cplwk	YES
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12:10:19 02/21/25	F: J M HITE	T: pihlm	you want the wash card?
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12:10:42 02/21/25	F: H L MOTE	T: pijmh	ill grab it in a sec im at kroger
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12:11:04 02/21/25	F: J M HITE	T: pihlm	ill meet you at speedway west
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12:11:40 02/21/25	F: H L MOTE	T: pijmh	clr give me like 10 or less
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12:11:56 02/21/25	F: J M HITE	T: pihlm	thats fine
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12:29:17 02/21/25	F: M A WEER	T: pirsd	hey can you close 25PI02618
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12:30:03 02/21/25	F: R S DANKWORTH	T: pimew	DONE
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12:30:42 02/21/25	F: M A WEER	T: pirsd	thanks
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13:06:03 02/21/25	F: M A RODRIGUEZ	T: piafk: pibjm: pihlm: pijmh: pijwh: pizms:	that's the guy that weber sent the email about.
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13:06:51 02/21/25	F: M A RODRIGUEZ	T: piafk: pibjm: pihlm: pijmh: pijwh: pizms:	he is anti govt and lots of weapons at his home
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13:09:23 02/21/25	F: J W HEATH	T: pimar	i believe it was 357 Riversde
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13:09:50 02/21/25	F: M A RODRIGUEZ	T: pijwh	thanks. I was mistaken.
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13:10:01 02/21/25	F: J W HEATH	T: pimar	no worries
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13:24:16 02/21/25	F: Z SMITH	T: dcbeep	if u have a px for spectrum, could u contact them and have them call me plz
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13:26:07 02/21/25	F: Z SMITH	T: dcbeep	lol if not i can try to call them
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13:42:15 02/21/25	F: Z SMITH	T: dcbeep	thx
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13:45:29 02/21/25	F: A F KIMPEL	T: dc92501	swееееет
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13:56:51 02/21/25	F: Z SMITH	T: dcbeep	southern ohio rock?? lol
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14:09:01 02/21/25	F: Z SMITH	T: dcbeep	these ppl are about useless lol
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14:11:04 02/21/25	F: Z SMITH	T: dcbeep	looks like someone tried tapping in to a cable line
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14:11:57 02/21/25	F: Z SMITH	T: dcbeep	very much so. so interesting that the guy who found it had to flag me down in the middle of the road on the other side of town ha
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14:15:06 02/21/25	F: Z SMITH	T: dcbeep	right!
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14:42:45 02/21/25	F: S G STEIN	T: pimlc	Did Weber leave for the day?
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14:42:55 02/21/25	F: M L CASEY	T: pisgs	yep
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14:44:10 02/21/25 F: S G STEIN T: pimlc ok thanks.

14:48:29 02/21/25 F: S G STEIN T: pimlc Can you let me know if [REDACTED] has an out of county 15? His kids go here and Springcreek and mom has been giving me info about him driving and "violating parole" but I can't see anything on this computer connected to the schools wifi

14:58:39 02/21/25 F: M L CASEY T: pisgs he's suspended. no 15's

14:58:49 02/21/25 F: S G STEIN T: pimlc Ok thank you!!!

14:58:51 02/21/25 F: M L CASEY T: pisgs np

14:59:15 02/21/25 F: M L CASEY T: pisgs ovi suspension. thas a good ticket lol

15:26:34 02/21/25 F: M A WEER T: pijmh Amber Ike [REDACTED] would like you to call her

15:27:55 02/21/25 F: J M HITE T: pimew ok ill give her a call

15:28:11 02/21/25 F: M A WEER T: pijmh thanks

15:30:02 02/21/25 F: B J MARRS T: pihlm DID U ID YOUR THEFT SUSPECT?

15:31:16 02/21/25 F: H L MOTE T: pibjm no, walters didnt recognize him and neither did the principal. I set the photo of him in the briefing room in case

15:32:06 02/21/25 F: B J MARRS T: pihlm GOOD MORNING

16:15:47 02/21/25 F: J W HEATH T: pijty name it

16:16:04 02/21/25 F: J T YENSER T: pijwh jamison yan

16:16:09 02/21/25 F: J W HEATH T: pijty enrt

16:22:49 02/21/25 F: H L MOTE T: piafk are you near 23

16:23:11 02/21/25 F: A F KIMPEL T: pihlm im not but can be if u need me

16:23:45 02/21/25 F: H L MOTE T: piafk yes please if you dont mind

16:23:52 02/21/25 F: A F KIMPEL T: pihlm omw

17:45:39 02/21/25 F: C R YINGST T: dc92501: 204 OIC, 203, 216, 229, 233 patrol.
dc93001: dcach:
dcalc: dcbe:

17:46:24 02/21/25 F: C R YINGST T: dc92501: 233 is handling the unruly
dc93001: dcach:
dcalc: dcbe:

20:06:39 02/21/25 F: T J KELCH T: picdh hey boss, can i stop cars or do you want
me to stay available

20:07:50 02/21/25 F: C D HARGIS T: pitjk I would say since its just us two lets
give it a bit.

20:08:32 02/21/25 F: T J KELCH T: picdh thats what i thought as well but just
wanted to ask

20:08:49 02/21/25 F: C D HARGIS T: pitjk yes sir

20:57:09 02/21/25 F: C R YINGST T: pitjk 23 when you get a chance.

20:57:19 02/21/25 F: T J KELCH T: picry okay

21:42:12 02/21/25 F: M G RUETENIK T: pitjk fyi coming froom phs had to get gas

21:42:31 02/21/25 F: T J KELCH T: pimgr your clear im at pd basically

21:42:40 02/21/25 F: M G RUETENIK T: pitjk ok

21:53:39 02/21/25 F: J B WEBER T: dc92701 ok great...thank you

21:59:30 02/21/25 F: T J KELCH T: picdh probably will never get footage

21:59:40 02/21/25 F: T J KELCH T: picdh they are terrible at it

22:02:12 02/21/25 F: C D HARGIS T: pitjk yea, it didnt seem to big of a deal

22:37:03 02/21/25 F: T J KELCH T: picry wht did you just call

22:37:27 02/21/25 F: C R YINGST T: pitjk to get day shift off the board

22:37:38 02/21/25 F: T J KELCH T: picry gotcha

22:38:16 02/21/25 F: C R YINGST T: dc92701 make me primary and close it please.

22:38:59 02/21/25 F: C R YINGST T: dc92701 thank you

22:40:23 02/21/25 F: C R YINGST T: dc92701 yep he's my OIC

22:40:48 02/21/25 F: C R YINGST T: dc92701 boom!

Exhibit 6



PIQUA POLICE DEPARTMENT

Case Report for Incident 25PI02671

Nature: DISTURBANCE
Location: PISO

Address: 236 MCKINLEY AVE
PIQUA OH 45356

Offense Codes:

Received By: B E PARRISH

How Received: T

Agency: PIP

Responding Officers: H L MOTE, J W HEATH, A F KIMPEL, Z SMITH, M A RODRIGUEZ, J T YENSER, J M HITE,
W D THOMAS, J B WEBER, R M GEARING, C D HARGIS, M G RUETENIK, C R YINGST, J J
KOEHLER, M L CASEY

Responsible Officer: H L MOTE

Disposition: ASN 02/24/25

When Reported: 16:44:46 02/21/25

Occurred Between: 16:44:46 02/21/25 and 16:47:41 02/21/25

Assigned To:

Detail:

Date Assigned: **/**/**

Status:

Status Date: **/**/**

Due Date: **/**/**

Complainant:

Last:

First:

Mid:

DOB: **/**/**

Dr Lic:

Address:

Race:

Sex:

Phone:

City: ,

Offense Codes

Reported:

Observed:

Circumstances

Responding Officers:

Unit :

H L MOTE	219
J W HEATH	209
A F KIMPEL	234
Z SMITH	211
M A RODRIGUEZ	239
J T YENSER	229
J M HITE	230
W D THOMAS	207
J B WEBER	214
R M GEARING	228
C D HARGIS	203
M G RUETENIK	233
C R YINGST	204

J J KOEHLER 210
 M L CASEY 205

Responsible Officer: H L MOTE
Received By: B E PARRISH
How Received: T TELEPHONE

Agency: PIP
Last Radio Log: 23:05:29 02/21/25 CMPLT
Clearance: RT REPORT TAKEN
 (REQUIRED)

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Judicial Status:
Misc Entry:

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Modus Operandi: **Description :** **Method :**

Involvements

Date	Type	Description	
02/24/25	Name	WEST, DUANE E JR	WITNESS
02/24/25	Name	WEST, DAVID C	SUSPECT
02/24/25	Name	WEST, TAMMY SUE	VICTIM
02/21/25	Cad Call	16:44:46 02/21/25 DISTURBANCE	Initiating Call

Narrative

Responsible LEO:

Approved by:

Date

Supplement

CAD Call info/comments

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16:45:45 02/21/25 - B E PARRISH
INTOX SON WAS PHYSICAL WITH THE RP

16:46:01 02/21/25 - B E PARRISH
RP STEPPED OUTSIDE TO CALL

16:46:16 02/21/25 - B E PARRISH
DAVID WEST IS THE SON , HE IS STILL INSIDE

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16:47:29 02/21/25 - B E PARRISH
DAVID HAD SHOVED RP DOWN AND RP HIT HEAD

16:47:43 02/21/25 - B E PARRISH
DAVID LOOKED LIKE HE WAS ABOUT TO START THROWING PUNCHES

16:54:50 02/21/25 - A CARSON - From: A F KIMPEL
SEND UNITS / ARMED SUSPECT

16:55:01 02/21/25 - A CARSON - From: A F KIMPEL
SHOTS FIRED

16:55:26 02/21/25 - A CARSON - From: M A RODRIGUEZ
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16:55:38 02/21/25 - A CARSON
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16:56:36 02/21/25 - A CARSON - From: A F KIMPEL
MALE SHOT / MALE IS BREATHING / ALIVE / GUNSHOT CWOOUND

16:57:42 02/21/25 - T NEWBRIGHT
207 HAS BEEN ADVD

16:58:47 02/21/25 - A CARSON - From: A F KIMPEL
GSW TO STOMACH BACK SHOULDER

16:58:53 02/21/25 - A C HEMPY - From: PIE23
PUT CAREFLIGHT ON STANDBY

16:59:23 02/21/25 - A C HEMPY
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17:00:33 02/21/25 - A CARSON - From: Z SMITH
STARTING COMPRESSIONS

17:00:58 02/21/25 - A C HEMPY - From: PIE23
WITH PATIENT NOW

17:01:17 02/21/25 - A C HEMPY
STATION 21/ PAGE 1 AND 2 FOR 3

17:03:22 02/21/25 - A C HEMPY
2811 ENRT

17:06:09 02/21/25 - A CARSON - From: A F KIMPEL
EDITED RELEASE CHANNEL

17:08:57 02/21/25 - A C HEMPY
2ND PAGE SENT TO ALL SHIFTS PER STATION 21

17:14:47 02/21/25 - B E PARRISH
CAREFLIGHT CANCELED

17:18:57 02/21/25 - S HINKLE

228/ CONTACT BCI, INVESTIGATIVE TEAM/ TO RESP/ CAN CALL MY CELL

17:22:12 02/21/25 - S HINKLE

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CHANNEL 7 NOELLE 937-259-2237 REQ PX

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18:05:24 02/21/25 - A C HEMPY

CORONER ENRT ETA 15

18:05:57 02/21/25 - K L MILLER

CHANNEL 2 NEWS PX 9372935121 / REQ A PX

18:08:23 02/21/25 - K L MILLER

DAYTON DAILY NEWS PX 9376107502 / REQ A PX

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22:48:55 02/21/25 - K M DICKENS

Call type 1 reopened by K M DICKENS at 22:48:55 02/21/25

22:49:16 02/21/25 - K M DICKENS - From: J B WEBER

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Supplement

Duane West interview

On 02/21/2025 at 1908 hours, I obtained a verbal statement from Duane West, in the soft interview room at the Piqua Police Department. Duane and I were the only two present for the statement.

Duane advised he, David West, and Tammy West, were sitting at the kitchen table eating dinner at their home, 236 Mckinley Avenue. They had picked up the food from Burger King at approximately 1500 hours. He believes they were back home eating by 1530.

Tammy told David a couple days ago she showed him what she would be taking home from social security. She told David she wouldn't be able to help him out as much, and he would need to get a job and pay his own bills. This enraged David. Duane described David as having a look in his eyes that he has never seen before, he said it was rage and anger, "like he had become mentally ill then and there." He said it was a rage he has never seen before.

David got up like he was going to throw his garbage away. David grabbed ahold of Tammy's chair and threw her back words. She fell back words and hurt her arm and leg. Duane grabbed his arm and told David they weren't going to do this. David said he was going to call the police. Tammy grabbed her phone and went into the garage and called the police.

When the police came in, Duane told them David was in the basement. He told the police three or four times he knew David had a pepper ball gun down there that looks real. Duane stated he didn't fault Officer Rodriguez, and he knew he has a job to do and wanted to go home to his family tonight. Duane advised he didn't know if David pointed the gun at him, or shot at him, but he heard three shots. Duane advised he heard the officer tell David three or four times to put the gun down and show him his hands and he wouldn't do it. He then heard the officer say, "I think I hit him."

Duane said there was several officers that came in, one being a female officer. He said he knows Officer Rodriguez told David to drop the gun and show him his hands three or four times. He again told me he doesn't know if David pointed the gun at him or shot the pepper ball at him, because he was sitting on the couch. He heard three shots, and "I think I got him." Then he yelled down three or four times and said he was going down there because he didn't hear him. He advised the officer came back up teary eyed and he believed it really hurt him doing that. Duane again told me he didn't fault him and knows he had a job to do.

Duane went on to tell me David has been drinking beer lately and mixing it with his medication. He advised David has cirrhosis of the liver. He believes David was withholding that his cirrhosis of the liver was terminal. He wondered if this was David's way of going out or what it was. I confirmed he heard three shots. He said he heard three gun shots, but he didn't hear any pepper ball shots. Duane went on to tell me he knows the pepper ball gun was released back to him along with a switchblade knife due to his court case being dismissed.

I asked Duane where he was sitting on the couch in the house. He told me it was in the living room. The living room leads into the kitchen. The basement door is on the right as your going into the kitchen. If your coming out of the kitchen the basement door is on your left. I asked if David's room is in the basement. He said it is his room and that's where David sleeps.

I asked where his wife was when this happened. Duane advised she was in the kitchen. He was unsure what she was doing. I asked Duane if he knew what all officers were at the house. He advised he didn't, but Rodriguez was at the basement stairs behind the wall taking cover. A female officer was also there but he didn't know who she was. He knew a male officer was twenty one but he didn't know who he was. I asked him if anyone was further into the basement than Rodriguez. He advised Rodriguez was the one in control. I asked if the other officers were all behind him and he advised they were. Duane again told me he heard him say drop the gun show me your hands three or four times. He stated, "he was doing his job and David was drunk and being stubborn."

Duane told me David was his son and he loved him. When he was sober he was as nice as you could ever meet. When he is drunk, he then said he thinks David not seeing his daughter since she was two years old is what caused everything. He advised his fiance disappeared with her after they broke up. He advised David's daughter will be six this March. Duane said it enraged him that he hasn't been able to see his daughter. The prosecutor told David she was at an abuse shelter and was being hidden out from him. Duane said he's not sure of the truth to that but that's what he heard.

I asked what time David started drinking today. Duane said he's been drinking the past couple days. He said David has been bringing it home and hiding it in the basement. They don't allow alcohol in the house. I asked if he thinks he's been non stop drinking the past couple days. Duane advised he has and mixing it with his medication. He wasn't sure what the medications were. I asked what type of beer he's been drinking. He advised 4 Loco's, and Budweiser tall boys. He advised there was a bunch of beer cans in the recycle bin. Duane said he reminded David he can't drink in the house, but he didn't say too much to him because he didn't want to make him angry.

I asked Duane if he knew what David's diagnosis was. He wasn't sure, but knew he was ordered to go to counseling and was going to alcohol classes. He said he believes David was telling them what they wanted to know so he could get off probation, but they kept him on it. Duane said when David didn't have money he didn't drink. Duane believes David was stealing change from Tammy and him for alcohol. Tammy had two containers almost full of quarters and they were almost gone. He advised he was getting pretty desperate for alcohol.

I then recapped what Duane told me about the incident in the kitchen. I stated they were having dinner together. Tammy told David she wasn't making as much and couldn't help him. Duane confirmed I was correct. I asked how David threw her on the floor. He said he used his arm and pushed her back. Duane said David was "strong as hell." He said he believes he put his arm out and slammed her backwards, causing her to hit her head on the back of the floor. He advised he wasn't sure and I would have to ask Tammy.

I asked Duane how long after this occurred and she called the police was it until the Police arrived. He said it was pretty quick and they were there in less than ten minutes.

Duane said he knows it was three o'clock when they got the food at Burger King. He believes it was around three thirty when they got back home to eat. He told me there was a receipt from Burger King in the white trash bag by the recycling bin. It was a white trash bag next to a regular trash can.

I asked after he shoved her down, how did David end up in the basement. Duane said after she grabbed her cell phone, he believes he knew she was going to call

the police. He went down there, and he believes he got his gun prepared. Duane advised it was a pepper ball gun and had a laser on it also. Duane then stated, "I don't know if it was suicide by cop or what he was doing. To be honest with you I really don't know what was going through his head." Duane stated he knows they said something to him about coming up. David said, "I'm not going anywhere." Duane said Rodriguez gave him every chance that he could. He advised they don't fault Rodriguez at all. He said Tammy feels bad because she called. He told her it wasn't her fault, if she wouldn't have called he would have. Duane said David is too strong for him. With his left hand he couldn't do nothing to him. He again said he had a look of rage in his eyes that he has never seen before. He said he wasn't going to tangle with him because he couldn't handle him. Duane advised his twin brother Duane wasn't there, if he was it wouldn't have happened because Duane would have backed him down.

I asked Duane if he could think if there was anything else he could think of that was important for me to know. Duane said, "I just want to say that you know Rodriguez he did his job. I can't fault him for it. You know it's a terrible thing that my sons gone but like I said, he did what he's supposed to do. That's go home to his family. You know. I know he was shaken up for it. I know he felt really terrible doing something like that. You know I know he would feel terrible. No, I'm not gonna fault him for it because I know he was doing his job. Our son was in the wrong. I wish things could have turned out different, but. But if the officer didn't kill him the alcohol probably would have." Duane then went into some medical issues David has been having around his throat and liver.

Duane again emphasized he believes the issues with his daughter is what set this off. He advised he hopes some day they can find her before he dies.

Once the statement was concluded I escorted Duane back out to the lobby.

My body camera and the soft interview room video have been uploaded to the case file.

Lieutenant Christopher Yingst

Supplement

Tammy West Interview

On 02/21/2025 at 1944 hours, I obtained a written statement from Tammy West. This was in the soft interview room. She and I were the only two present in the room. I explained the written statement from to her and provided her with one to fill out. I told her once her statement was done I would review it and ask any follow up questions I had.

Tammy's statement read at 236 Mckinley Ave. on February 21st at 4:30 PM, she was sitting at the kitchen table eating dinner. David (WEST) told her to show Melissa and Dakota what she will be bringing from SSI. She said for the last time I'm not showing them. David said you support them. Tammy said no, Melissa is paying Dakota's bills, she just buys him cookies and brownies. She told David I can't pay your car note or cell phone or car insurance anymore. This is due to her bringing in \$967 from SSI and she has a \$501.08 care note.

David stood up. She thought he was going to throw his trash away, but he pushed her over in her seat causing her to hit the floor with her head on the kitchen floor. This caused a knot on the back of her right knee. David stood over her with his fist balled up. He said he was calling the police, but she called them instead.

Tammy turned the statement over to me. I asked her to fill out a second statement regarding what occurred after the police arrived.

She wrote, "DAVID HAD A PEPPER BALL GUN AND THE OFFICER HAD HIS GUN OUT WITH ANOTHER OFFICER WHO HAD HIS GUN OUT THE OFFICER TOLD DAVID TO DROP YOUR WEAPON THREE TIME DAVID HAD HIS WEAPON OUT BUT DONT KNOW IF HE POINTED IT AT THE OFFICER. THE OFFICER SHOT DAVID THREE TIMES, THE OFFICER SAID I SHOT HIM THE OFFICE KEPT CALLING DAVID'S NAME BUT NO RESPONSE THE OFFICER SAID I'M GOING DOWN STAIR WHICH IS OUR BASEMENT, THEN WE WAS ASK TO LEAVE."

Tammy handed me the second statement form, and told me, "Rodriguez is the one who shot him, but I don't know how to spell his name."

I asked Tammy who all was home when it all happened. She said her, "big Duane" and David. I confirmed Melissa is her daughter, David's sister and Dakota is her grandson, David's nephew.

I confirmed it was her who thought David was throwing his trash out. She said she was eating a sandwich with her head down. I asked her how she ended up on the ground. She said he came up to her and shoved her. She demonstrated pushing with two hands. She said she hit her head on the linoleum in the kitchen. She looked up and David had his fist balled up like he wasn't done with her. She said she was on the floor and he was standing with his fist balled up. She said she told him, "sorry sorry." So he would hopefully back off. David told her he was calling the police. She grabbed her cell phone and went in the garage so he didn't know she was calling. This was so he wouldn't "beat the shit" out of her or his dad. I asked her where David went when she went to the garage. She advised downstairs. Tammy advised that's where David stays. After he got out of jail he lost his apartment and had to move back home with them.

Tammy went on to say David has a drinking problem. David was in the ICU a month ago for three days. She advised he has cirrhosis of the liver and his esophagus ruptured. It required clamps to stop the bleeding. He didn't drink for a while after that. Tammy Advised David was a good kid when he wasn't drinking. When he

was drinking he was a monster.

I asked Tammy if he was drinking today. She said he was drinking today, yesterday, and the day after that. Tammy told me they had change in the house in a jar. The quarters came up missing. They never saw him take them but they suspected him. She advised he had no money and she thinks he was taking them.

I asked her when the Police arrived, where was David? She told me downstairs in the basement, which is his room. Tammy was in the living room where she let the cops in. Duane was on the couch in the living room.

I asked her where the officers were. She said they were outside. One came in, another came in, and she started shutting the door but another came in. She told them they better bring in more. The only officer she knew by name was Rodriguez. She told me he's the one that shot David. I asked her where Rodriguez was at. She said he was hunkered down by the basement door that was open. Rodriguez told David, "drop it, drop it, drop it." She heard David say he wasn't going to drop it. Then Rodriguez shot him three times, but maybe it was more. She advised there was three shell casings maybe four by the entrance to the basement. She said Rodriguez said, "I shot him." She advised Rodriguez was yelling for David to talk to him, and asking him if he was ok. When David didn't respond Rodriguez said I'm going down. He went down and when he came back up he was "all shook up."

Tammy told me she believes David had a run in with Rodriguez before on Broadway. As well as Lieutenant Weber. She then told me a twenty one year old officer from Greenville allowed them to sit in his cruiser to stay warm.

I asked Tammy to explain to me what she meant David had a run in with Rodriguez. She said, "I think David would get drunk and post stupid shit on Facebook. Threaten the cops or harm or whatever. And I think the cops went to his house before. So David said yea I got into it with an officer and hurt him bad." She advised with David she doesn't know what to believe when he's drinking. She thought it was Rodriguez that David got into it with. She advised this all stems from David not getting to see his daughter he has custody of. When he daughter left, that's when David started drinking.

I went through the statement with her again to make sure I had gotten an accurate description of what occurred.

Both written statements have been placed with the case file. My body camera and the interview room recording have been uploaded to the case file.

Lieutenant Christopher Yingst

Name Involvements:

VICTIM : 38394

Last: WEST

DOB: 01/14/60

Race: W **Sex:** F

First: TAMMY

Dr Lic: [REDACTED]

Phone: [REDACTED]

Mid: SUE

Address: 236 MCKINLEY AVE

City: PIQUA, OH 45356

SUSPECT : 38221

Last: WEST

DOB: 07/21/80

Race: W **Sex:** M

First: DAVID

Dr Lic: [REDACTED]

Phone: (937)451-1595

Mid: C

Address: 236 MCKINLEY AVE

City: PIQUA, OH 45356

WITNESS : 38056

Last: WEST

DOB: 01/26/60

Race: W **Sex:** M

First: DUANE

Dr Lic: [REDACTED]

Phone: [REDACTED]

Mid: E

Address: 236 MCKINLEY AVE

City: PIQUA, OH 45356