



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



2024-1385
Officer Involved Critical Incident – 121 W. Perry St., Tiffin, OH,
44883 (L)

Date of Activity: 05/03/2024
Author: SA Joshua S. Rammel, #175

Narrative:

On May 3, 2024, Special Agent (SA) Josh Rammel (Rammel) conducted a canvass interview with Sarah Harmon (Harmon) regarding the Officer Involved Critical Incident (OICI) which occurred at 121 West Perry Street, Tiffin, Ohio, on May 3, 2024.

The interview was conducted at Harmon's address of 132 West Perry Street, Tiffin, Ohio; near the location of the OICI. The interview was recorded using a digital audio recorder. A copy of the interview was attached to this investigation.

SA Rammel identified himself and provided the reason for the contact. Harmon agreed to speak with SA Rammel and provided basic identification information such as her date of birth, phone number, and confirmation of her address as 132 West Perry Street.

Harmon advised she was upstairs folding laundry in the second-floor room that faces West Perry Street. Harmon indicated she heard someone shouting, "don't do it, don't do it" and then heard "three pops". Harmon stated she looked out the upstairs window and saw a "man lying in the street and the cop looking at him".

Harmon stated she did not see any of the actual shooting, and once she looked out the window, she closed it back and eventually came outside several minutes later. Harmon told SA Rammel by the time she exited her house there were several other law enforcement and medical individuals on scene. Harmon mentioned she did not see any weapon being utilized by the individual who was shot.

Harmon stated she did not know the Tiffin Police Officer involved nor did she know the individual who was shot. Harmon advised she lives alone and there was no one else at her residence when the shooting occurred.

Harmon informed SA Rammel that she has an outdoor camera, but it is facing her front door and would only pick up motion as someone comes up on her porch. Harmon advised it would not pick up sound by itself.

Harmon stated she did not have any additional information to provide at this time, nor did she have any questions. SA Rammel provided Harmon his contact information in the event that

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something comes up or Harmon has future questions.

This report only summarizes the information deemed by the author to be of the most relevance to the investigation and does not purport to contain all questions and answers from the interview. Further, this report was placed in a chronology to aid the reader's overall understanding of the information elicited during the interview and may not be reflective of the actual sequencing of questions. It is suggested that the full recording be reviewed to clarify any content or contextual questions regarding the information from the interview.

Attachments:

Attachment # 01: sarah harmon 2024-05-03

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