



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



2025-0151

Officer Involved Critical Incident - 350 South Arch Avenue,
Alliance, Ohio 44601, Stark County

Investigative Activity: Review of News Articles and Social Media

Involves: Mason French (S), Stacy Pride (V)

Activity Date: 01/24/2025

Activity Location: BCI, 4055 Highlander Parkway, Richfield, OH 44286

Authoring Agent: SA Nicholas Valente #139

Narrative:

Ohio Bureau of Criminal Investigation (BCI) Special Agent (SA) Nick Valente reviewed various news media coverage of the officer-involved shooting involving Mason French (French) and members of the Alliance Police Department (APD). The officer-involved shooting garnered significant media attention and for that reason not all news coverage could reasonably be saved and reviewed.

On January 18, 2025, the APD released body-worn camera (BWC) video and 911 call audio of the incident to the media. This BWC footage was shared with the public by multiple local news media outlets including, but not limited to, WJW (Fox8 News), WEWS (News 5), WKYC (Channel 3 News), WOIO (Channel 19) and the Canton Repository.

None of the local news media coverage included information relevant to the investigation not previously known to investigators.

Police body cam video shows scene unfold quickly as officers arrive at Alliance apartment shooting

Residents at the Alliance Towers told 911 dispatchers they heard fighting, a gunshot, and then a woman scream, 'He shot me!'



New body camera video, as well as 911 tapes, were released Saturday afternoon from the Alliance Police Department after a deadly officer-involved shooting took place Thursday morning at an apartment.

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News 5 Cleveland- <https://www.news5cleveland.com/news/local-news/police-body-cam-video-shows-scene-unfold-quickly-as-officers-arrive-at-alliance-apartment-shooting>

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SA Valente located a Facebook account displaying the vanity name "Mason French." The Facebook account included a photograph of the apparent account holder that was consistent with the subject of this investigation. The last post made to the account occurred on March 26, 2023. Nothing relevant to this investigation was found on the account. The account is located at:

<https://www.facebook.com/profile.php?id=100089682319697>.

SA Valente located nine Facebook accounts displaying the vanity name "Stacy Pride" that appeared to have previously been used by the victim. None of these accounts included any publicly viewable information that appeared relevant to this investigation. These Facebook accounts are located at:

- <https://www.facebook.com/profile.php?id=61555944087936>
- <https://www.facebook.com/profile.php?id=100009665583398>
- <https://www.facebook.com/stacy.pride.58>
- <https://www.facebook.com/stacy.pride.16>
- <https://www.facebook.com/profile.php?id=100077535666420>
- <https://www.facebook.com/profile.php?id=100074882918464>
- <https://www.facebook.com/stacy.pride.397>,
- <https://www.facebook.com/stacy.pride.14>
- <https://www.facebook.com/profile.php?id=100085006266654>

BCI Criminal Intelligence Analyst Andrea Bujorian curated a collection of news media articles and videos covering the officer-involved shooting. This collection of videos and news articles was saved a Reference Item B. Refer to these articles and videos for further news media coverage of the incident.

References:

REF ITEM B – Collection of News Media Articles and Videos

Attachments:

None

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