



**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: Video Collection and Vehicle Consent
Involves: John Smith Jr. (W), Kimberly Furman (O)
Activity Date: 02/17/2025
Activity Location: Ira Avenue, Akron, OH
Authoring Agent: SA Jesse Bynum #179

Narrative:

On February 17, 2025, Ohio Bureau of Criminal Investigation (BCI) Special Agent (SA) Jesse Bynum (Bynum) and SA Allison Fletcher (Fletcher) contacted the resident of 315 Ira Avenue, Kimberly Furman (Furman). Furman stated that the Ring doorbell camera on her house contained video of the incident, but due to the motion activation it did not capture the entire incident. Furman was provided with an email address to send a link to the videos, and it was confirmed that the videos were sent. SA Bynum downloaded the videos and labeled them as "2025-02-17 315 Ira Ave 1" and "2025-02-17 315 Ira Ave 2" and then uploaded them into Evidence.com under "Reference Item A - CCTV Videos".

SA Bynum then spoke with John Smith Jr (Smith), the owner of the white Toyota Camry involved in the incident with license plate number LENBOY. Smith provided written consent to search the vehicle and stated that the backpack inside the vehicle was not his. The written consent form is attached to this report.

References:

Reference Item A - CCTV Videos

Attachments:

1. 2025-02-17 Vehicle Consent

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CONSENT TO SEARCH



Date & Time _____

Location _____

I, John L. Smith Jr., having been informed of the constitutional right not to have a search made of the premises, property, or items hereinafter mentioned without a search warrant (and of my right to refuse to consent to such a search), hereby authorize

_____ to conduct a complete search of my

_____ premises, and all curtilage

☒ any vehicles

Toyota LENOX

_____ personal property, to wit: _____

_____ computer, cellular telephone, or electronic device, (including data acquisition, copying, and analysis), to wit: _____

located at _____

These above-named officers/agents are authorized by me to take from my premises, curtilage, vehicles, property, computer, cellular telephone, or electronic device (as specified above) any letters, papers, materials, data, or other property which they desire. I state that I am a person who is authorized to give consent for the search of the above mentioned property.

This written permission is being given by me to the above-named officers/agents voluntarily, of my own free will, without threats or promises of any kind, I am not under the influence of drugs or alcohol that prevent me from understand this document, and I understand this document and the English language.

John L. Smith Jr.
Signature

02/17/25
Date/Time

John L. Smith Jr.
Printed Name