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Officer-Involved Critical Incident - Officer Involved Critical Incident - 818 Cherryberry Dr., Columbus, OH 43228 (L)

To: G. Gary Tyack, Franklin County Prosecutor
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From: SA James Poole, Special Agent, Ohio BCI
Date: December 12, 2024
Involves: [REDACTED] and Benjamin Wheeler
Case Title: Officer Involved Critical Incident - 818 Cherryberry Dr., Columbus, OH 43228 (L)
BCI Case Numbers: Special Investigations (SIU): 2024-2255
Crime Scene (CSU): 2024-2255
BCI Laboratory: 24-111028

Investigative Request

On Thursday, August 01, 2024 at 2230 hours, Sergeant Terry McConnell (Sergeant McConnell) of the Columbus Division of Police (CPD) requested the assistance of the Ohio Bureau of Criminal Investigation's (BCI) Special Investigations Unit (SIU) and Crime Scene Unit (CSU) in conducting an independent investigation into the facts and circumstances surrounding an officer-involved critical incident. The incident reportedly occurred on August 1, 2024 in the area of 818 Cherryberry Dr. Columbus, Ohio 43228 and resulted in the death of Benjamin Wheeler (Wheeler).

Preface:

This report serves as a synopsis of the investigation into the August 1, 2024 officer-involved shooting in Franklin County, Ohio. This report only summarizes the information that the investigative team determined to be the most useful in achieving an overall understanding of what occurred in this incident. Every fact and detail is not presented in this summary report. Therefore, it is recommended that each individual report from which this document is derived be read in order to obtain a complete understanding of this investigation. Further, audio and/or video recordings exist for the majority of the interviews conducted, revealing further details of statements given regarding the incident.

This investigation was conducted with the purpose of determining, to the extent possible, the facts and circumstances surrounding this incident. As unbiased collectors of fact, the investigative team has not and will not render any opinion of the legality of officers' actions. Instead, it is anticipated that this investigation will provide the basis of information for decisions to be rendered by the appropriate authorities.

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Investigative Team

BCI Special Agent James Poole (SA Poole) was assigned as the lead SIU case agent. SA Poole received assistance in the investigation from SA Jonathan Scale (SA Scale), SA Kyle Douglass (SA Douglass), SA Aja Chung (SA Chung), and SA Ryan Scheiderer (SA Scheiderer). BCI Special Agents Aja Chung (SA Chung), Sarah Taylor (SA Taylor), and Dylan Wical (Technician Wical) of the Crime Scene Unit processed the scene of the incident, documenting, preserving, and collecting possible evidence. The investigation was supervised by Special Agent Supervisor Kevin Barbeau (SAS Barbeau). Additionally, various personnel from the BCI crime laboratory performed scientific analyses on submitted items of potential physical evidence.

Summary of Process

The following is a partial list of investigative activities or methods which were employed during the course of this investigation, by the investigative team, in an effort to thoroughly and accurately locate and document all pertinent facts and circumstances regarding this incident:

- Recorded interview(s) of officer [REDACTED] who discharged their weapon.
- Recorded interviews of eleven (11) CPD SWAT officers who were involved in the incident, at the scene, or otherwise deemed to potentially have relevant information
- Neighborhood canvass of the area surrounding the scene
- Interviews of two (2) civilian witnesses to the incident
- Interviews of three (3) family members or associates of the decedent
- Obtained and reviewed post-mortem examination (autopsy) and toxicology reports
- Obtained and reviewed police reports of prior law enforcement contacts with the subject
- Obtained and reviewed open and closed-source biographical information on the involved subjects, to include criminal history reports, OHLEG, driving records, etc.
- Review of all available dash cameras involved in the incident
- Review of all available body cameras involved in the incident
- Review of all available drone cameras involved in the incident used by the Franklin County Sheriff's Office (FCSO)
- Processing of the scene for potential evidence (photographing, searching, measuring, documenting, and collecting)

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- 3D scans / model of incident area
- Reviewed audio communications on the radio frequencies utilized during the incident were not conducted due to Columbus' data breach
- Review of 911/phone communications related to the incident were not conducted due to Columbus' data breach
- Review of dispatch/CAD records pertaining to the incident were not conducted due to Columbus' data breach
- Review of Mobile Data Terminal (MDT) communications relative to the incident were not conducted due to Columbus' data breach
- Review of the department's reports, photographs, and investigative materials pertaining to the incident, excluding any Garrity statements or information derived from any compelled statement
- Conducted forensic laboratory examinations to include:
 1. Firearm identification testing of involved firearms, casings, and bullets
 2. Firearm operability testing
- Collected and reviewed the departmental training files of the officers involved in the shooting
- Reviewed firearm qualification and training records for involved officers
- Verified the Ohio Peace Officer Training Commission (OPOTC) certification status of the officer(s) who discharged their weapons
- Obtained the department's policies and procedures regarding use of force for prosecutorial review
- Obtained subpoenas for medical records
- Reviewed medical records of those injured, obtained through Subpoenas and patient consent
- Reviewed EMS records pertaining to their response and the treatment administered

Incident Summary/Overview

On August 1, 2024, the Columbus Division of Police (CPD) responded to 818 Cherryberry Drive, Columbus, OH, on a domestic dispute involving a Benjamin Wheeler (Wheeler). While conducting a warrant check on Wheeler, officers identified that Wheeler had a felony warrant for child support. Wheeler became irate and began throwing household items at the officers, barricading himself inside the residence. CPD Special Weapons and Tactics (SWAT) responded to the barricaded situation arriving around 1800 hours and ended their response around 2230. During this incident, it was found that CPD SWAT Officers tried to make contact with Wheeler by using a loudspeaker system but received no response. Information was given to SWAT officers

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from the family that there were possible weapons inside the house. A plan was devised to breach the front door with a BearCat vehicle, where they could see Wheeler barricading himself in the back kitchen. A plan was then established to make entry and subdue Wheeler with non-lethal force by using a Taser. As the SWAT officers approached the front door to make entry, [REDACTED] was struck by knife that was thrown from Wheeler and sustained injuries requiring him to immediately be transported to the hospital. The SWAT team retreated and used multiple knee knockers to break the exterior windows and used multiple CS-gas canisters in the house to get Wheeler to surrender. After a couple hours of those tactics not working a plan was devised to re-enter through the front door with shields and subdue Wheeler with non-lethal force by using a Taser. SWAT officers then entered the residence through the front door. As officers were navigating through the barricaded furniture, [REDACTED] while having a shield, tried to use a Taser twice on Wheeler who kept hiding behind the kitchen wall but was unsuccessful both times. As [REDACTED] approached Wheeler's last known position, [REDACTED] was stabbed in his left knee by Wheeler, causing him to be later transported to the emergency room. Shortly after, Wheeler was seen stabbing [REDACTED] in the hand while [REDACTED] was attempting to Taser Wheeler but was unsuccessful. [REDACTED] is then seen shooting Wheeler four (4) times at 2122 hours, causing Wheeler to flee back into the kitchen and down the basement stairs. Officers held the basement stairs until a pole camera was used to identify Wheeler who was not responding. Medics were called where they pronounced Wheeler at the scene.

Decedent

Wheeler was identified as having a felony warrant for child support by officers who were originally called to the domestic call for service. After interviewing the family BCI Agents identified that Wheeler was staying with his parents while he got back on his feet and got a job. Christine Beane (Christine), Wheeler's mother, stated that Wheeler had mental issues which include having delusions of being in the military and that Wheeler had once been diagnosed with Schizophrenia. Christine also stated Wheeler was prescribed medication but never took it. Christine advised Wheeler tried to commit suicide two or three years ago and self-admitted himself to the hospital because of it.

Autopsy Report

The autopsy report for the decedent (Benjamin Wheeler) was obtained from the Franklin County Coroner's Office. A review of those documents revealed the following information:

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The cause of death for Benjamin Wheeler was determined to be [REDACTED]. The manner of death was ruled [REDACTED]. The toxicology report indicated that Wheeler [REDACTED].

Physical Evidence

The BCI Crime Scene Unit was requested to respond to the scene of the shooting in order to document and preserve any items of potential evidence. Multiple agents responded and processed the scene, to include photographing and mapping the area, as well as the search for, documentation, and collection of items of possible evidence. Detailed crime scene reports were completed with the below information only summarizing some of the more significant findings.

In the kitchen near where Wheeler was barricaded a shotgun - Sears Roebuck & Co. with an empty chamber located on the stove and a Rifle - Sears Roebuck & Co. with an empty chamber located on the floor were located. Next to Wheelers body was located a red handled knife with suspected blood. In the front yard was located a knife with a red handle, a frying pan, a candle, and another knife.

A Taser prob with wires were located on Wheeler's body, a fired Taser cartridge was found in the kitchen area, a Taser was located in the Living room area, four (4) 9mm cartridge casings, and another Taser was located with deployed wires and probes in the living room area.

[REDACTED] Glock Model 17 gen5, 9mm Luger Semi-Automatic Pistol, Serial Number [REDACTED] with Holosum Optic, one magazine, and fifteen (15) unfired cartridges. was recovered.

Various items of potential evidence were submitted to the BCI Laboratory for analysis. The actual reports should be consulted as the following synopsis does not include many of the details from the full reports.

The BCI Firearms Section performed an analysis of the officers' firearms, as well as the firearm-related evidence collected from the scene, vehicles, and autopsies (casings and bullets). By comparing evidentiary cartridge casings/projectiles to known standards from each weapon, identifications were able to be made as to which casings/projectiles were fired from each firearm. Of the casings/projectiles recovered, the following identifications were made:

Glock Model 17 gen5, 9mm Luger Semi-Automatic Pistol, Serial Number [REDACTED] was found to be source identified to four (4) fired 9mm cartridge cases and one (1) fired

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projectile recovered from Benjamin Wheeler.

Witnessing Officers

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██████████ explained on August 1st, 2024, the ██████████ received a call out for a subject refusing to exit his residence, referred to as a "barricade." Once all members of the team had arrived, they provided containment. ██████████ confirmed he knew the subject had a warrant and that he was alone inside the house. ██████████ further confirmed little movement was observed by the subject, but the subject was seen shutting a window. ██████████ advised that a decision was made to breach the front door with the BearCat (SWAT armored vehicle). Once the front door was breached, Wheeler was exposed and SWAT could see the subject and his movements. ██████████ advised Wheeler was shirtless and tried to shut the door.

██████████ advised a plan was set that two SWAT members would approach with bunkers (heavy ballistic shield) and ██████████ would be positioned between said bunkers. Once Wheeler exposed himself, ██████████ would deploy his Taser and take Wheeler into custody. ██████████ explained, "Once we got up to the front door, one of the guys, ██████████ was like 'there he is. He's got a gun.'" At this point ██████████ indicated he stuck his arm out between the two bunkers and was looking for him but never saw him. ██████████ went on to explain, "It was simultaneous when ██████████ said, 'he's got a gun', then I got hit with something and honestly, at first, I thought I got shot because we have our ear pros (protection) on and they cancel out the gunshots." ██████████ said he looked at his arm, saw that he was bleeding and said "FUCK!" and moved back to the rear of the BearCat to get medical attention and eventually went to ██████████ ██████████

Officer Rodney Mayberry recalled the following officers, in addition to himself, to be involved with the second entry attempt: ██████████ ██████████

██████████ Officer Mayberry said the officers were all wearing gas masks during the entry making verbal communication nearly impossible. Officer Mayberry described ██████████ leading the entry team with a "bunker" (also

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known as a ballistic shield) through the first room to the threshold of the kitchen. Officer Mayberry described the conditions of the first room as being congested with DVDs all over the floor, making it difficult to maintain steady footing. Officer Mayberry described Wheeler as grabbing [REDACTED] bunker and a struggle ensued in which [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] fell to the ground. Officer Mayberry described [REDACTED] deploying a flash bang device during this time. Officer Mayberry described [REDACTED] reaching over top of the above officers in an attempt to Taser Wheeler, however Wheeler lunged at [REDACTED] with a butcher knife in one hand and the other hand attempting to grab the Taser. It was during this moment that Officer Mayberry reported [REDACTED] reached past him and shot Wheeler multiple times with his pistol. Officer Mayberry believed [REDACTED] fired approximately five (5) shots. Officer Mayberry said he and other officers chased after Wheeler through the kitchen area to the top of the downstairs area leading to the basement. Officer Mayberry said they used "tac view" (a camera device at the end of a long pole with a remote viewing console) to observe the basement area. Officer Mayberry said Wheeler was observed unresponsive leading himself and other officers to proceed into the basement. Officer Mayberry said he handcuffed Wheeler initially. Officer Mayberry reported Wheeler to be completely unresponsive and surrounded by a large amount of blood.

[REDACTED] went on telling BCI agents, once entry was made, Wheeler put obstacles in the pathway from the front door to the kitchen. [REDACTED] said, "our footing wasn't secure, and it was difficult moving forward to where he was at." [REDACTED] further said, Wheeler was throwing objects at them as they tried to maneuver through the debris. [REDACTED] explained how Wheeler would throw items at the team and then hide behind the wall that separated the kitchen from the living room to prevent being tased. [REDACTED] said after the entry was made, he heard [REDACTED] Taser deploy and then heard him say "I'm out. I need another Taser." At that point [REDACTED] said he moved up to the front to deploy his Taser and as he got to the front, [REDACTED] fell and [REDACTED] deployed his Taser. [REDACTED] said he simultaneously lost his footing, fell and he felt something hit his left hand. [REDACTED] explained that he fell on his left side and since he is left-handed, he could not unholster his pistol. [REDACTED] indicated his arm was still extended with the Taser aimed at Wheeler and that is when he saw his hand was bleeding. It was at that time he saw Wheeler holding the knife coming towards [REDACTED] and himself. [REDACTED] said he thought to himself, "This isn't good" because he could not reach his pistol. Then [REDACTED] said he heard gunshots from behind him. SA Poole asked [REDACTED] if he ever feared for his life. [REDACTED] stated, that after he fell and saw Wheeler was coming at them [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] with a knife, yes. "I thought he was going to stab [REDACTED] and I."

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██████████ stated a plan was devised to approach the front door for a second time with bunkers and non-lethal Tasers to subdue and arrest Wheeler. ██████████ was assigned as the lead bunker and also nonlethal with a Taser out ready to use. ██████████ explained as the team approached and entered through the front door, he could see Wheeler "playing peek a boo" in the back kitchen jumping back and forth behind a wall. ██████████ stated he did not have a clear shot but attempted to strike Wheeler with the Taser twice and missed both times. Due to being out of Taser cartridges ██████████ stated he dropped his Taser on the floor due to it being unusable. As ██████████ tried to move through the living room area to get to Wheeler's position they were slowed down by books, shelves, and furniture that was barricading the room. ██████████ stated, "It was a nightmare," moving through there due to the DVDs, CDs, and furniture on the floor that they had to clear a path through. ██████████ stated he could not see Wheeler hiding behind the wall in the kitchen and started to approach his last known location. Due to Wheeler continually throwing dangerous items at them ██████████ explained he held his shield higher than normal causing him not to see in front of him. Once ██████████ arrived at the wall where Wheeler was last seen, ██████████ stated he was struck with something below his left knee. ██████████ believed he struck his knee on a piece of furniture in the barricaded area, but then quickly realized he was losing his balance. ██████████ then stated he rested his shield on top of the barricaded furniture to keep his balance. ██████████ stated due to the shield position and his gas mask that he could not see Wheeler and lost all function in his left leg causing him to fall backwards onto his back. As this was happening ██████████ heard a Taser deploy to his left and then heard several gunshots coming from behind him. ██████████ stated he laid there to allow the other SWAT members to continue to engage with Wheeler. ██████████ remembers SWAT members moving over him to get to Wheeler's position. ██████████ stated his last memory was being dragged out of the house by another SWAT member and being immediately transported to the hospital. SA Poole asked ██████████ if there was a moment he was in fear for his life. ██████████ stated with the information that Wheeler had access to guns, not complying to commands, and seeing him with a knife before entering the first time he was fearful for his life and the life of others entering the home.

Interview

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██████████ stated "The suspect threw multiple different objects (a knife, a 2x4 board) out the front door. I do not recall exactly who but someone deployed wooden knockers through the front windows. There were also CS canisters, penetrating gas and tri-chambers utilized multiple times. Due to the gas being used, I put on my gas mask. The suspect attempted to throw some of the gas canisters out the door and there was gas emitting from the house. At some point, the Franklin County Sheriff's Office Drone Team was requested. Once they arrived, they deployed a drone through the front door. I believe the suspect hit it with something, knocking it out of the air, and it was not working. A second drone was deployed through the front door and that was successful. Due to the drone footage, we were able to establish that he was in the kitchen which was towards the back of the house. The first room upon entering the house was a living room. The entryway to the kitchen was on the east wall of the living room and it appeared to be directly in line with the front door. We had been on the scene for several hours. Despite numerous attempts at negotiations and deployment of gas and wooden knockers, nothing was effective, as the suspect was still inside the house. I believe it was a little before 9:30 p.m., when SWAT Sgt. Wilgus gave the order for us to make entry into the house. I believe the lineup was supposed to be SWAT ██████████ with a bunker, ██████████ with a bunker and less lethal, SWAT ██████████ with a bunker and less lethal, and myself in the #4 position with a bunker and a flashbang. I believe SWAT Officer Mayberry was supposed to be behind me and that ██████████ had the lethal cover. We lined up on the passenger's side of Bearcat 1. Just before we made entry, I pulled the pin on a flashbang to deploy inside the house in an attempt to disorient the suspect.

As we entered the house, we encountered a tremendous amount of debris throughout the front room that was blocking our path to the kitchen, where we believed the suspect was located. There were bookshelves, chairs, DVD's books, etc., all over the floor. It was so extensive that the floor of the house was not visible. A cabinet or large bookshelf had been pushed over from the left wall and it was blocking the doorway into the kitchen. This made it incredibly difficult to move through the house and maintain our tactical positions/formation. I shifted to the right (south) and I tried to move some debris out of the way. I believe ██████████ and Mayberry also shifted right due to the debris and a cabinet/shelf that was blocking the entryway into the kitchen. ██████████ reached the doorway leading into the kitchen. Suddenly, I saw the suspect pop into the doorway and he started throwing stuff at us. I threw the flashbang into the kitchen. As soon as I threw the flashbang, I grabbed another flashbang and pulled the pin. I saw the suspect coming towards ██████████ ██████████ and I quickly threw the second flashbang into the kitchen and drew my firearm. As I threw the second flashbang, I saw the suspect grabbing the top of ██████████

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██████████ bunker. I heard him yell something (I think he said help) and I saw the suspect was low and stabbing ██████████ in the leg. I leaned around the corner and fired my weapon at the suspect. As I was firing, I saw the suspect then stab ██████████ (who was to my left and I believe had deployed his Taser) in the hand. I saw ██████████ go down and continued firing at the suspect until he retreated into the kitchen and into the basement."

Video Recordings

Multiple body worn cameras, helmet cameras, drone cameras. and vehicle cameras were reviewed. Please see the investigative reports for more details.



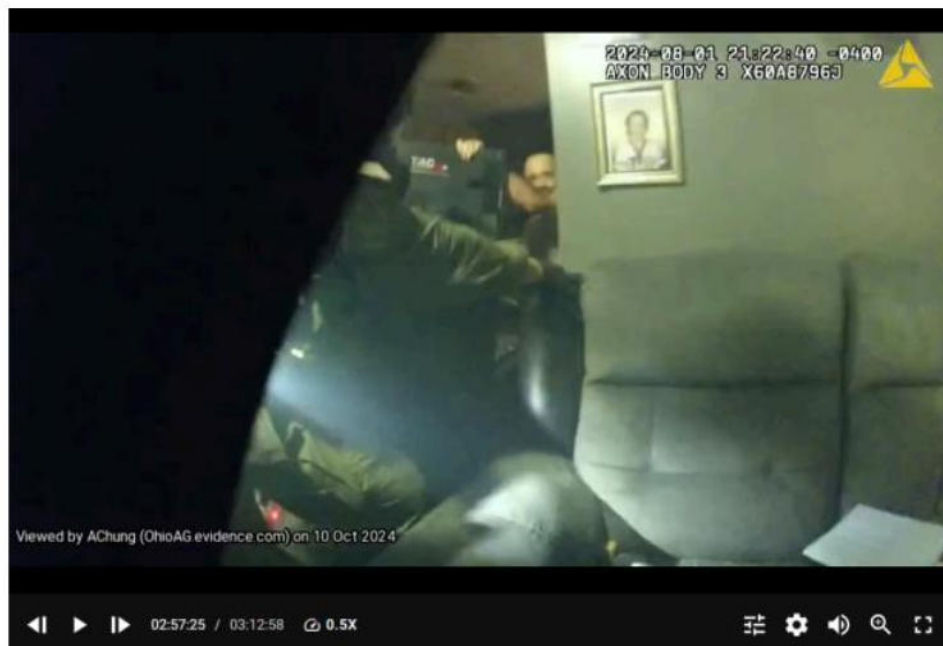
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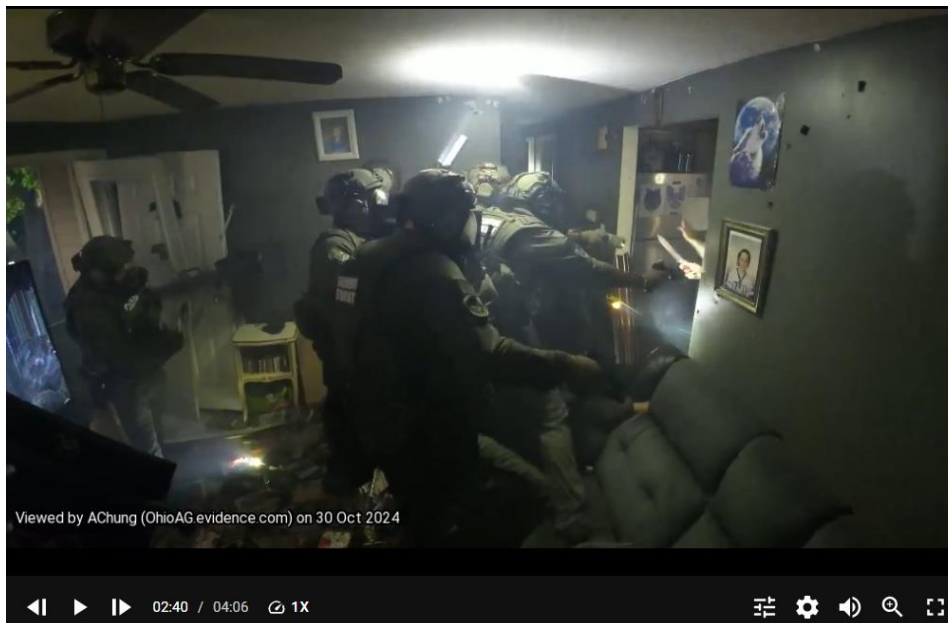
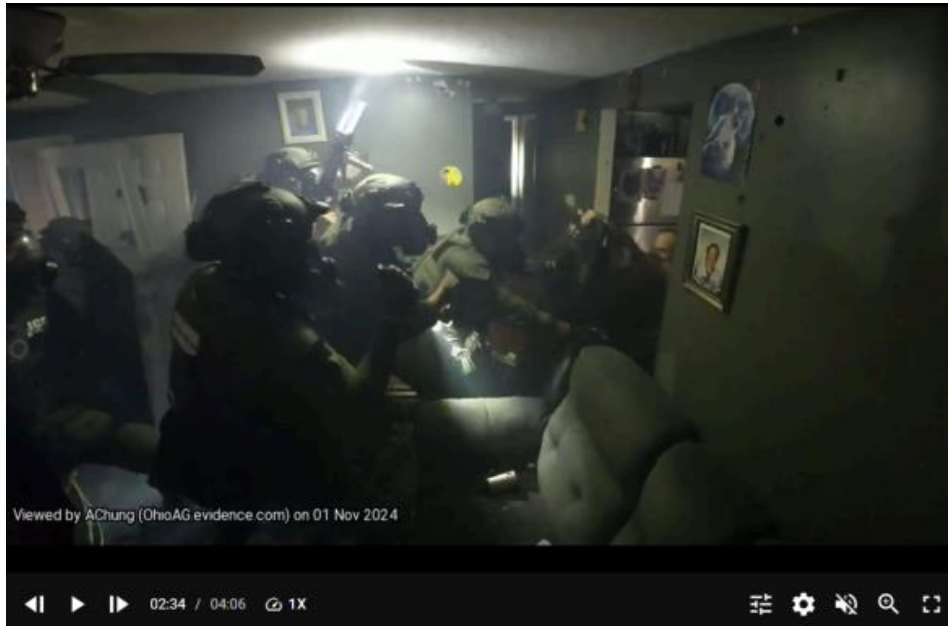
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All persons known to have relevant information regarding this investigation have been interviewed (or attempted), and all known pertinent records and evidence have been obtained and reviewed. BCI will continue to offer investigative assistance into any newly identified witnesses or information relative to this criminal investigation. BCI's investigation into this officer-involved critical incident is concluded unless such new information/witnesses is/are identified through grand jury or other means. Agents remain available for consultation and/or to perform any additional investigation, analysis, processing and/or other assistance/involvement you might deem to be necessary.

Contact Information

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