



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



2024-0109
Officer Involved Critical Incident – 9714 St Route 93, Pedro, OH
45659

Investigative Activity: Records Received, Review of Records

Involves: [REDACTED]

Date of Activity: 01/11/2024

Author: SA Chad Holcomb, #61

Narrative:

On January 11, 2024, Ohio Bureau of Criminal Investigation (BCI) Special Agent (SA) Chad Holcomb received training and personnel file records from Lawrence County Sheriff's Office (LCSO) Detective Brad Layman for [REDACTED] [REDACTED] [REDACTED]. SA Holcomb reviewed the training and personnel file records and noted the following:

Use of Force History:

On February 4, 2023, [REDACTED] responded to a disorderly conduct call and deployed his taser. There is no indication that [REDACTED] was outside of policy.

Internal Investigations:

Prior to the incident on January 9, 2024, [REDACTED] had no records of any internal investigations.

Range Qualifications:

According to LCSO records, [REDACTED] last qualified with the following firearm on October 19, 2023:

- Glock 22, 40mm handgun with serial number [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] use of force history, range qualifications and training certificates have been attached to this report

Attachments:

- Attachment # 01: [REDACTED] Use of Force History
- Attachment # 02: [REDACTED] Firearm Qualification
- Attachment # 03: [REDACTED] Training Certificates

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Approved By SA James A. Mulford on
01/22/2024

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09:18

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Case Numbers:

[REDACTED]

Nature: Threats
Location: CGPD

Address: 704 LANE ST
Ironton, OH 45638

Offense Codes: 90C

Statute Codes: 2917.11A3

Received By: Evans, R How Received: T Agency: LCSO

Responding: [REDACTED] McKenzie, K, Allison, C, Borders, W

Responsible: [REDACTED] Disposition: ACT 02/04/23

When Reported: 11:23:27 02/ Occurred Between: 11:23:20 02/04/23 and 11:28:55 02/

Assigned To:
Status:

Detail:
Status Date: **/**/**

Date Assigned: **/**/**
Due Date: **/**/**

Complainant:

Last: First: Mid:
Height: Weight: Eyes: Hair:
DOB: **/**/** DL #: Address:
Race: Sex: Phone: City: ,
Work Phone:
Other Phones:

OFFENSE CODES

Reported:
Observed: 90C Disorderly Conduct
Additional Offense: 90C Disorderly Conduct

STATUTE CODES

Additional Statute: 2917.11A3

Circumstances

TASER TASER Deployed

Responding Officers:

Unit:

[REDACTED] [REDACTED]
McKenzie, K PD409
Allison, C PD827
Borders, W PD825

Responsible Officer:

Agency: LCSO

Received By: Evans, R

Last Radio Log: **:**:** **/**/**

How Received: T Telephone

Clearance: RNA Report - No Arrest

When Reported: 11:23:27 02/04/23

Disposition: ACT Date: 02/04/23

Judicial Status:

Occurred between: 11:23:20 02/04/23

Misc Entry:

and: 11:28:55 02/04/23

Modus Operandi:

Description:

Method:

Demeanor

Personal Demeanor

Threatening

Involvements

Date Type Description Relationship

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Narrative

On February 4th 2023 at or near 1130 I was dispatched to 704 Lane Street in reference to a male making threats to kill himself. That when officers arrived he was going to force officers to shoot him.

When I arrived Coal Grove Police Department along with Ironton Police Department were already on scene. I advised them that I was closing lane street at or near JROC. Ironton Police had the road closed down just past the residence. Ironton Officers Borders, and Allison were in front of the residence with Coal Grove Officer McKenzie. I came in from the side of the residence. The male came out of the house screaming you all are going to have to kill me. I want you all to fucking shoot me. The male then got into the blue vehicle that was parked out front of the residence. The male then got out of the vehicle and noticed that I was beside of the house. The male then started to come toward me screaming shoot me mother fucker shoot me. I noticed that the male did not have anything in his hands at this time. When the male turned around he stated I'm going to make you all fucking shoot me. The male then put his hand inside of his jacket as if he was going to pull something out. I then deployed my tased striking the male in the back. The male did not lock up at this time. I then deployed the second taser and received full lock up. Patrolman Allison and Borders were able to detain the male and remove his hand from his jacket. I then cuffed the male and advised dispatch to send Lawrence County EMS due to the males actions. I was escorting the male to my car and he stated I was trying to get you to fucking shoot me. The male stated that I was reaching in my jacket so that you would shoot me. I explained to the male that I did not want to do that and I am sorry that he was wanting me to shoot him. The male was then released to Lawrence County EMS and transported to the hospital.

Responsible LEO

Approved by

Date

Record List - Total:2

Px	Record #	Date	Description	Relationship
NM	[REDACTED]	02/04/23	BAILEY, JAMES ROBERT	Offender
CA	[REDACTED]	02/04/23	11:23 02/04/23 Threats	*Initiating Call

USE OF FORCE

Lawrence County Sheriff Office

DATE: 2/4/2023 ____ TIME: 1230 # OF ATTACHED STATEMENTS ____

LOCATION: 704 Lane Street

OFFICER(S): [REDACTED] SUBJECT (S): James Robert Bailey

WITNESSES: McKenzie, K, Allison, C, Borders, W

MEDICAL TREATMENT NEEDED: No HOSPITAL

ATTENDING PHYSICIAN(S): ____

GIVE BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF INCIDENT

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REVIEWING OFFICER: _____ DATE: _____ TIME: _____

INVESTIGATION COMPLETED: DATE: _____ TIME: _____

ATTACH FINDINGS WITH THIS FORM AND TURN IT IN TO:

JEFFERY S. LAWLESS, SHERIFF

Firearm Requalification 2023

Name [REDACTED] DOB 9-9-89 Department CCSO

Semi-automatic Pistol – (Minimum score needed is 20 out of 25 possible)

Manufacturer GLOCK Model 22 Serial # [REDACTED]

Caliber 40MM Ammo Type FACTORY Test #1 PASS BC Test #2 _____

Low Capacity/Sub-Caliber Pistol – (Minimum score needed is 8 out of 8 possible)

Manufacturer TAURUS Model G2C Serial # [REDACTED]

Caliber 9MM Ammo Type FACTORY Test #1 PASS BC Test #2 _____

Shotgun – (Minimum score needed is 8 out of 8 possible)

Manufacturer HOSSBERG Model 590 Serial # [REDACTED]

Gauge 12 G Buckshot Type FACTORY Slug Type FACTORY

Test #1 PASS BC Test #2 _____

Rifle/Carbine – (Minimum score needed is 16 out of 20 possible)

Manufacturer DEL-TON Model DTE 15 Serial # [REDACTED]

Caliber 5.56 Ammo Type FACTORY Test #1 PASS BC Test #2 _____

The use of force / firearms policy and firearms safety rules have been made available to me by my agency and I understand all the rules and policies.

Officer's Name (Printed) [REDACTED] Rank [REDACTED]

Signature [REDACTED] Date _____

(Instructor use only)

I hereby certify that the above named officer has satisfactorily completed the state mandated firearms qualifications course for the year 2023

Instructor's Name (Printed) Brian Chaffin

OPOTC# REQ- 07508

Signature [Signature]

Date 10/19/2023

CERTIFICATE OF RECOGNITION

AWARDED TO

[REDACTED]

On Thursday November 29th, 2018 Deputy Steve Gallian with Deputy Matthew Chinn and Deputy John Chapman cut down an inmate from hanging himself, cutting a sheet off from around his neck saving his life!

Awarded this 3rd day of December, 2018

Jeffery S. Lawless, Sheriff



AXON

TRAINING

**THIS CERTIFICATE OF COMPLETION IS HEREBY
GRANTED TO**



The above named is certified as an operator for TASER Energy Weapons.

COMPLETED TRAINING FOR THE FOLLOWING TASER ENERGY WEAPON:

X2

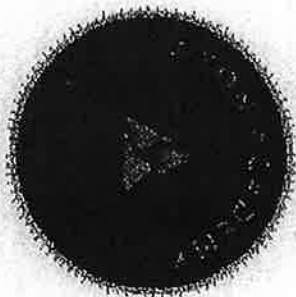
VALID FOR 1 CALENDAR YEAR FROM THE DATE OF TRAINING COMPLETION

Dep. Charles Mullins

Issued by
(Certifying Instructor Name)

12/26/2023

Issued On
(Date)





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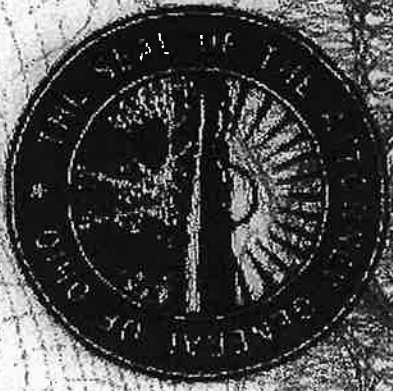


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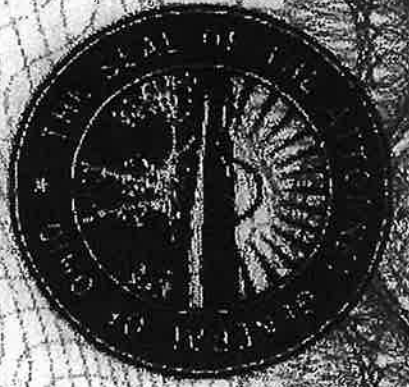
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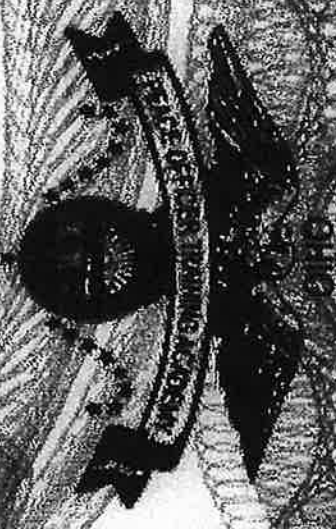


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IN APPRECIATION

Presented to

[Redacted Name]

*for your selfless dedication and tireless efforts handling emergencies,
for being a steady voice in the storm, for using courage and compassion,
and for heading into danger to save others from danger.*

Always remember that you make a difference and you are appreciated!



[Signature]
Rev. Terry Jones, Secretary
Ironton Area Ministerial Association

November 4, 2018

Date



OHIO PEACE OFFICER TRAINING COMMISSION &

THE OFFICE OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL

This is to certify that
[REDACTED]

has completed the Ohio
Peace Officer Basic Training Program
Conducted by
Collins Career Center Police Academy

Awarded on
July 21, 2016

Mike DeWine
Mike DeWine
Attorney General
Vernon P. Stanforth, Chairperson
Vernon P. Stanforth, Chairperson
Ohio Peace Officer Training Commission



Mary E. Davis
Mary E. Davis, Executive Director
Ohio Peace Officer Training Commission
James V. Howard
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School Commander
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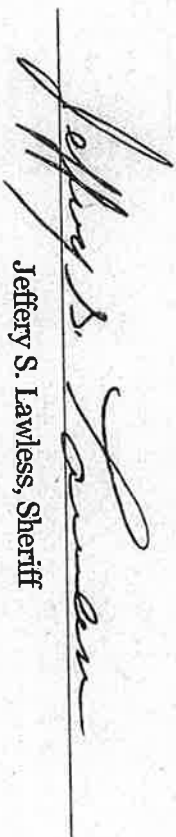
CERTIFICATE OF APPRECIATION

AWARDED TO

[REDACTED]

On Thursday November 29th, 2018 Deputy Steve Sisler, Deputy Matthew Chimm, Deputy Steve Gallian and Deputy John Chapman conducted a shake down in the jail finding multiple contraband.

Awarded this 3rd day of December, 2018


Jeffery S. Lawless, Sheriff



MIKE DEWINE

OHIO ATTORNEY GENERAL



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NOTICE OF PEACE OFFICER APPOINTMENT

1. Within ten days of the appointment or status change, submit one copy of this form either by email, fax or mail.
2. Type or print legibly and complete all blanks. Enter N/A if not applicable.
3. Submit pages 1 and 2 when an officer is newly-appointed to your agency, or has previously left the agency and returns.
4. Submit only page 1 when an officer continues to be appointed by your agency, but has a change from one status, as listed in Box 15, to a different status.
5. Enter any necessary information for a Correction to Record, submitting all affected pages, and attach a letter explaining the requested change.

OFFICER INFORMATION			1. Name (Last) [REDACTED]	(First) [REDACTED]	(Middle) [REDACTED]	2. Social Security Number [REDACTED]
3. Previous Name(s) or Alias (Last) [REDACTED]			(First) [REDACTED]	(Middle) [REDACTED]	N/A	
4. Birth date (mm/dd/yyyy) [REDACTED]		5. Email Address [REDACTED]			6. Phone Number [REDACTED]	
7. Mailing Address (#/Street/PO Box) [REDACTED]		(City) [REDACTED]	(State) [REDACTED]	(Zip Code) [REDACTED]	(County Name) [REDACTED]	
8. Peace Training/Academy (Only complete if this is the officer's first appointment or OSP)		(Academy Name) [REDACTED]	(Academy Number) [REDACTED]	(Dates of Training) [REDACTED]		

AGENCY INFORMATION		9. Agency Name LAWRENCE COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE			
10. Agency Email Address Lawman 74ul@yahoo.com		11. Agency Phone Number 740-532-3525			
12. Agency Mailing Address (#/Street/PO Box) 115 SOUTH 5TH STREET		(City) IPATON	(Zip Code) 45638	(County Name) LAWRENCE	

APPOINTMENT INFORMATION (Complete Date, Status and ORC)		13. New Appointment Date 08 29 2016	14. Status Change Date / /
15. Select New Status <input type="checkbox"/> Full-Time <input type="checkbox"/> Part-Time <input type="checkbox"/> Auxiliary <input type="checkbox"/> Reserve <input type="checkbox"/> Special <input type="checkbox"/> Seasonal			
16. Select New ORC			
<input type="checkbox"/> City Full-Time/Part-Time (737.02)	<input type="checkbox"/> City Auxiliary/Reserve/Special (737.051)	<input type="checkbox"/> City Chief (737.02)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Village Full-Time/Part-Time/Special (737.16)	<input type="checkbox"/> Village Auxiliary/Reserve (737.161)	<input type="checkbox"/> Village Chief (737.15)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Township Police Officer (505.49)	<input type="checkbox"/> Township Constable (509.01)	<input type="checkbox"/> Other Chief - List ORC/Charter _____	
<input type="checkbox"/> Other - List ORC/Charter _____	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Deputy Sheriff (311.04)	<input type="checkbox"/> Sheriff (311.01)	

ATTESTATION OF REPORTING AUTHORITY		I have carefully read this document and fully understand its contents and I sign it of my own free will and volition. I attest that the information provided on this document is true and correct and is based on my personal knowledge or inquiry. I further understand and acknowledge that submission of falsified records is a criminal violation.	
17. Signature of Reporting Authority Jeffery S. Lawless	18. Printed Name and Title SHERIFF JEFFERY S. LAWLESS	19. Date 08 29 2016	
20. Signature of Witness	21. Printed Name (First, Middle, Last)	22. Date / /	

Officer Name (Last)

(First)

(Middle)

Social Security Number

23. OATH OF OFFICE

I do solemnly swear or affirm that I will support the Constitution and Laws of the United States of America, the Constitution and Laws of the State of Ohio, and Laws and Ordinances of the political subdivision to which I am appointed and to the best of my ability will discharge the duties of this office.

[Redacted Signature]

Signature of Appointing Authority

Name of Appointing Authority (Typed or Printed Legibly)

Title of Appointing Authority (Typed or Printed Legibly)

OHIO PEACE OFFICER APPOINTMENT HISTORY

Please list all prior appointments. Use additional copies of page 2, as needed, to list the entire appointment history.

24. Appointed By (Agency Name and County): <i>Proctorville Police Department Lawrence</i>	25. From(mm/dd/yyyy): <i>07/21/2016</i>	To(mm/dd/yyyy): <i>08/29/2016</i>
26. Appointment Status (Check Appropriate Box) <input type="checkbox"/> Full-Time <input type="checkbox"/> Part-Time <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Auxiliary <input type="checkbox"/> Reserve <input type="checkbox"/> Special <input type="checkbox"/> Seasonal		

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