



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



2023-2639  
Officer Involved Critical Incident - 7524 Van Ness Avenue,  
Hubbard, Ohio 44425

**Investigative Activity:** Officer Documentation and Introduction  
**Activity Date:** October 4, 2023  
**Activity Location:** Vienna Township Police Department, 856 Youngstown Kingsville  
Roade NE, Vienna Township, Ohio 44473  
**Authoring Agent:** SA Nick Valente #139

**Narrative:**

On October 4, 2023, at 0140 hours, Ohio Bureau of Criminal Investigation (BCI) Special Agent (SA) Nick Valente (Valente) arrived at the Vienna Township Police Department (VTPD) to contact the involved officer and collect any evidence relevant to the October 3, 2023 officer-involved shooting.

SA Valente met with the involved officer, [REDACTED] (Officer [REDACTED]). SA Valente took four (4) photographs of Officer [REDACTED] as he appeared at the time of the officer-involved shooting. Officer [REDACTED] advised SA Valente that his body-worn camera had been removed from his vest after the incident (for downloading/evidence collection purposes) and car keys worn on his duty belt were left at the scene, but he otherwise appeared in the photographs as he did at the time of the officer-involved shooting. Officer [REDACTED] was photographed from the front, left, right, and back. These photographs were attached to this report.

SA Valente asked Officer [REDACTED] if he would like to participate in an interview at that time. Officer [REDACTED] declined to participate in an interview that morning. Officer [REDACTED] did however inform SA Valente that the weapon he used in this incident was a rifle which he handed to a VTPD supervisor at the scene of the shooting and he believed still remained there. Officer [REDACTED] stated he did not use any other weapon during this incident. Officer [REDACTED] provided SA Valente with his duty pistol and three additional magazines worn on his ballistic vest carrier. SA Valente noted Officer [REDACTED]'s duty pistol contained a fully loaded magazine and an additional cartridge in the chamber of the weapon. SA Valente further noted all three spare magazines were also fully loaded. As there was not indication this weapon was used in the incident, it was not collected.

Attachments:

1. 2023-10-04: Officer [REDACTED] Front
2. 2023-10-04: Officer [REDACTED] Front
3. 2023-10-04: Officer [REDACTED] Left Side
4. 2023-10-04: Officer [REDACTED] Right Side

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