



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



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Officer Involved Critical Incident – 6042 Huntley Rd, Columbus,
OH

Investigative Activity: Interview with Witness
Involves: Latasha Renee Douglas (W)
Date of Activity: 02/07/2024
Author: SA Kyle Douglass, #126

Narrative:

On February 07, 2024 at approximately 1829 hours, Ohio Bureau of Criminal Investigation (BCI) Special Agent Kyle Douglass (SA Douglass) conducted an interview with Latasha Douglas (Douglas) as a witness to an Officer Involved Critical Incident (OICI) which occurred on February 7, 2024, involving Columbus Division of Police (CPD) [REDACTED] [REDACTED] [REDACTED] and Holly Graham (Graham) in the area of 6042 Huntley Road in Columbus, OH. During the incident, [REDACTED] discharged his firearm while officers were attempting to detain Graham in a stolen vehicle. Graham was transported to Riverside Methodist Hospital with alleged gunshot wounds.

Prior to the interview, Douglas agreed to provide a voluntary statement to BCI regarding the incident. The following is a summation of the interview, specific details can be found in the attached audio recording.

Douglas reported at approximately 1600 hours, she was driving westbound on OH-161 on her way to a hair salon in the Huntley Square shopping plaza. Douglas observed a small blue sedan being pursued by CPD cruisers, circling the Shell parking lot at the southwest corner of OH-161 and Huntley Road. Douglas said it appeared CPD was trying to block the blue sedan in the Shell parking lot to prevent escape.

Douglas witnessed the blue sedan was able to get out of the Shell parking lot then traveled northbound on Huntley into the Huntley Square shopping plaza parking lot. The blue sedan circled this parking lot as well, pursued by several CPD cruisers. Douglas reported observing a CPD officer ([REDACTED] [REDACTED]) trying to put down "stop sticks" when he was struck by the blue sedan. Douglas explained after [REDACTED] was struck, he ended up on the vehicle's hood and windshield area, and was on the vehicle while it continued to travel through the parking lot. Douglas stated [REDACTED] fell off the vehicle and landed on the ground, then stood up and pursued the blue sedan on foot until it escaped the parking lot eastbound on OH-161.

Douglas stated she heard multiple gunshots after [REDACTED] was struck by the blue sedan. Douglas reported there were several CPD officers in the area at the time and she was unable to

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tell which CPD officer discharged their firearm. Douglas was unsure if shots were fired by one individual or multiple individuals. Douglas also saw several CPD officers with their guns drawn. Douglas estimated she heard between five and ten total gunshots fired in rapid succession.

Douglas described the driver of the blue sedan what she believed to be a slender male with dark short hair, possibly Hispanic. Douglas was unable to tell if there were other passengers in the blue sedan. Douglas believed the driver of the blue sedan was attempting to avoid the stop sticks when the vehicle struck [REDACTED] [REDACTED] Douglas lost sight of the blue sedan after it pulled out of the Huntley Square parking lot onto OH-161.

Douglas reported she was inside her vehicle during the entirety of the incident.

Interview concluded at approximately 1843 hours.

Attachments:

Attachment # 01: 2024-02-07 Latasha Douglas Interview