



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



2022-2813  
Officer Involved Critical Incident – 673 Slate Hollow Ct, Powell,  
OH 43065 (L)

**Investigative Activity:** Information Provided/Obtained, Interview with Witness  
**Involves:** Alex Lasinger (W), Eric Smith (W)  
**Date of Activity:** 12/12/2022  
**Activity Location:** Lasinger, Alex – Home – 677 Slate Hollow Ct, Powell, OH 43065,  
Delaware County  
**Author:** SA John Rodriguez, #62

On December 12, 2022, Special Agent John Rodriguez responded to the High Meadows Subdivision in Powell, Ohio, to assist with the investigation for an Officer-Involved Critical Incident (shooting). Special Agent John Rodriguez was assigned to make contact with residents in the area.

At 2315 hours, Special Agent John Rodriguez made contact with Alex Lasinger and Eric Smith at their residence located at 671 Slate Hollow Ct., Powell, Ohio. Both Alex Lasinger and Eric Smith reported the following during a recorded interview:

At approximately 2100 hours, on the aforementioned date, Alex Lasinger heard Kelly Hinton yelling outside. Alex Lasinger looked through the window and witnessed Kelly Hinton being held by three (3) males. One of the males was identified as Michael Hinton. Alex Lasinger knew Michael Hinton because they had met in the past and identified Michael Hinton as Sean Hinton's father.

Kelly Hinton was being held by the males and Alex Lasinger heard gunshots coming from Kelly and Sean Hinton's residence. Alex Lasinger now knows that Sean Hinton was shot by deputies.

As far as the background of their neighbors are concerned, Alex Lasinger reported Kelly Hinton is a stay at home mom and Sean Hinton worked in the construction trade.

Alex Lasinger reported no altercations between Kelly and Sean Hinton and had not spoken with them prior to the event that lead to the officer involved shooting.

Before ending this interview Special Agent John Rodriguez provided Alex Lasinger and Eric Smith with contact information for the Ohio Bureau of Criminal Investigation and they were to contact the lead investigator Matthew Collins if they had anything further information they would like to share.

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This report only summarizes the information deemed by the author to be of the most relevance to the investigation and does not purport to contain all questions and answers from the interview. It is suggested that the full audio recording be reviewed to clarify any content or contextual questions regarding the information from the interview.

**Attachments:**

Attachment # 01: 671 Slate Hollow Ct Alex Lasinger Eric Smith Interview

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