



CLEVELAND DIVISION OF POLICE
FIELD CASE REPORT

CASE# **2024-00004733**

EVENT	REPORTED DATE/TIME 01/05/2024 02:08	OCCURRED INCIDENT TYPE Crisis Intervention	LOCATION OF OCCURRENCE 7802 Spafford AVE Cleveland, OH
	OCCURRED FROM DATE/TIME 01/05/2024 02:08	OCCURRED THRU DATE/TIME 01/05/2024 02:50	

OFFENSES	STATUTE/DESCRIPTION	COURTS	ATTEMPT/COMMIT
	01	Crisis Intervention Crisis Intervention	1

SUBJECT	JACKET/SUBJECT TYPE Adult Victim	NAME (LAST, FIRST, MIDDLE SUFFIX) PERKINS, ROBERT JAMES					
	DOB [REDACTED]	AGE or AGE RANGE 36	ADDRESS (STREET, CITY, STATE, ZIP) 7702 Spafford AVE Cleveland, OH				
	RACE White	SEX Male	HEIGHT or RANGE 6'0"	WEIGHT or RANGE 175	HAIR Brown	EYE Brown	
	DL NUMBER/STATE [REDACTED] / OH	PRIMARY PHONE (419)304-8969	PHONE #2	PHONE #3			

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FIREARMS PROPERTY

FIREARM	FIREARM PROPERTY CODE				VALUE
	Recovered				\$820.00
	MAKE/MODEL			GUN TYPE	GUN ACTION
	Techniam Metal Products US				
	SERIAL	GAU	FINISH	BARREL LENGTH	CALIBER
		Tan	12 INCH	12 Gauge Shotgun	
ADDITIONAL DESCRIPTIVE INFORMATION					

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NARRATIVE

CRISIS INTERVENTION

On Friday, January 05, 2024, while on patrol as 4A31, and accompanied with P.O. Ayers, we received a radio assignment for a three round spotshotter at 7802 Spafford Avenue. The following are the details to the incident.

Upon our arrival, to the above address, the victim, Robert Perkins was walking westbound on Spafford Avenue. P.O. Ayers and I approached Robert in our zone car. When Robert turned to talk to me, Robert had a tan Kel Tech shotgun holstered around him. I asked Robert if he had heard any gun shots in the area and Robert stated that he had just shot three rounds into an abandoned building. Robert continued by stating that since he was unable to pull the trigger on himself that he was going to "start a war". Robert then began walking eastbound on Jones Avenue.

I dispatched over radio if we could have another zone car respond to our location. 4D38 (P.O. Fitchwell #134), 4A32 (P.O. Kane #997 and P.O. McCartney #820), 4B33 (P.O. Sedlak #1157 and P.O. Fisher #2314), and 4B37 (P.O. Soucek #119 and P.O. Bonner) all responded to the area of Harvard Avenue, where Robert continued to walk southbound.

P.O. Ayers and I then stopped Robert and continued to talk to him after the other zone cars arrived on scene. Robert was detained and placed in the zone car and the shot gun was confiscated from Robert without incident.

As I continued to talk to Robert, he stated that he did not want to live and stated that he had felt this way since he was a child. Robert stated that the reason he had shot into an abandoned building was because he was "feeling bored" and was having increased thoughts of being self-destructive, which these thoughts had began two to three days prior. Robert stated that he had diagnosed himself with autism and tourettes but does not take any medication. Robert did state that he did have three additional firearms at his home address.

While continuing to confer with Robert, 4B37 found three shotgun casings in front of 7802 Spafford Avenue and that a board covering for a window to the house had been damaged from the shot gun. P.O. Ayers had radio run the tan Kel Tech shot gun and it came back clean.

After conferring with 4S33 (Sgt. Wills) on scene, P.O. Ayers and I along with 4B33 conveyed Robert to University Hospital for a psychological evaluation without incident.

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NARRATIVE (continuation)

- Conferred with 4S33 (Sgt. Wills #9321) on scene.
- Conveyed to University Hospital.
- Pink Slip completed at UH.
- Attending Nurse for Robert is Amanda.
- CIT Brazzo Form Completed.
- Shot gun and 11 rounds MT&E (page 119 line 19)
- Casings (3) MT&E (page 20 line 21)
- Shot gun checked by #182
- Named suspect in C/W CAD 2024-004709
- WCS.

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