



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



2024-1513  
Officer Involved Critical Incident – 6382 Georges Creek Drive,  
Columbus, OH 43110 (L)

**Investigative Activity:** Interview with Subject  
**Involves:** Ralph Warfield (O)  
**Date of Activity:** 05/16/2024  
**Activity Location:** Scene – 3682 Georges Creek Road, Canal Winchester, OH 43110  
**Author:** SA Chad Holcomb, #61

**Narrative:**

On May 16, 2024, the Ohio Bureau of Criminal Investigation (BCI) was requested to perform an independent investigation on the facts and circumstances surrounding an Officer Involved Critical Incident which occurred in the area of 6382 Georges Creek Drive, Columbus, OH. During the incident, Rafael Warfield (Warfield) was shot and killed.

Around 0830 hours, Agents gave a next of kin notification to Warfield's sister, Artesha McBride. Agents had received information that both of Warfield's parents were deceased.

While on scene, agents were made aware of a male, Ralph Warfield (Ralph), had showed up on scene and was claiming to be Warfield's father. Agents confirmed that Ralph was indeed Warfield's father. At 1012 hours, SA Chad Holcomb and SA Jim Mulford gave a next of kin notification to Warfield's father, Ralph.

SA Holcomb told Ralph that Columbus Police responded to the scene of an altercation, shots were fired and Warfield is deceased.

Agents explained the process of the investigation.

The interview concluded at approximately 1017 hours.

The interview was audio recorded and has been attached to this report. Please see the attached recording for additional information.

**Attachments:**

Attachment # 01: 2024-05-16 – NOK Ralph Warfield (2024-1513)

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