



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



2024-0431

Officer-Involved Critical Incident- 6042 Huntley Rd,
Columbus

Investigative Activity: Interview with Witness
Involves: Holly Graham
Activity Date: 2/9/2024
Activity Location: Riverside Methodist Hospital-Rm#S7519
Authoring Agent: SA Matt Collins, #151

Narrative:

On Friday, February 09, 2024 at 1133 hours, Ohio Bureau of Criminal Investigation (BCI) Special Agent (SA) Matt Collins (SA Collins) and SA Chad Holcomb (SA Hol) attempted to interview Holly Graham (Graham), relative to the officer-involved shooting which took place on Wednesday, February 7, 2024. The attempted interview took place in Graham's hospital room. Also present during the interview was City of Columbus-Division of Police (CPD) Detectives Lemmon and Journey. The purpose of the interview was to obtain all relevant information of the incident known or observed by this individual.

SA Collins had requested the hospital contact either himself or CPD Det. Lemmon if and when Graham was able to speak, so an interview could be attempted. At approximately 0950 hours SA Collins was made aware Graham was alert and speaking with hospital staff and would be available to speak in an hour. SA Collins, along with the above-listed people, arrived at the hospital. Just before entering the room SA Collins was speaking with one of the nurses and inquired of any recent pain medication which would have been administered to Graham. SA Collins was told Graham had received [REDACTED] (sic) approximately one hour prior. In SA Collins' novice understanding of the drug, he understood Graham would possibly be "groggy." Upon entering the room, Graham's bed was positioned so she was slightly sitting up. Graham was awake as SA Collins introduced himself and explained why he was there. Graham was blinking heavily and it appeared she was trying to speak. SA Collins also understanding Graham had recently had the tube removed from her throat, believed Graham would also have difficulty or irritation when attempting to speak.

Graham stated she would speak with SA Collins, however, due to her having recently been given medication and her obvious appearance of struggling to stay awake, SA Collins discontinued or ceased the interview. SA Collins had not gotten to the point of advising Graham of her Miranda Rights as he was first attempting to ascertain if she was coherent enough to understand them. SA Collins told Graham he was going to come back some other time to speak with her.

The interview concluded at approximately 1137 hours.



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The interview was audio recorded. The recording is attached to this report. Please see the attachment for further details.

On February 10, 2024, SA Collins, through Det. Lemmon, was in contact with Riverside medical staff. Throughout the day staff was advising she was not yet ready to be spoken to but believed it would be possible in the evening.

Later that evening, around 2000 hours, SA Collins was making arrangements to head to Riverside, when Det. Lemmon contacted staff. Det. Lemmon stated he was being told Graham was not able to speak with investigators as her condition was worsening and they may intubate her again that evening.

Investigators decided to check back in with Riverside after the weekend. On February 12, 2024, Graham was still intubated and unable to speak with SA Collins.

On February 13, 2024, SA Collins was informed by Det. Lemmon; Graham was still heavily sedated. Graham's breathing tube was out but she was having "issues" due to, not only her injuries, but also withdrawals. SA Collins was told Graham was expected to survive but was just dealing with all her current and past medical issues.

On February 14, 2024 around 0730 hours, SA Collins was informed by Det. Lemmon; Graham was still intubated and may need to have surgery to correct "whatever is going on."

On February 14, 2024 around 1500 hours, SA Collins was informed by Det. Lemmon Riverside was going to be contacting the family to "determine end of life care." SA Collins was told the family met with staff and at some point, a do not resuscitate (DNR) order was agreed upon.

On February 16, 2024 around 1300 hours, SA Collins was informed by Det. Lemmon; Graham's mother signed off on "comfort care" and they were writing up orders to remove all medical intervention. Later, around 1420 hours, SA Collins was informed Graham had passed away and was pronounced **deceased at 1411 hours**.