



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



2025-3290
Officer Involved Critical Incident - 3810 Louise Ct., Grove
City, OH 43123 (L)

Investigative Activity: Response to Hospital_Scene
Involves: Grove City PD; [REDACTED]
Activity Date: 10/08/2025
Activity Location: Grant Medical Center (Columbus); 3056 Barbee Ave.
(Grove City)
Authoring Agent: SA Matthew Collins, #151

Narrative:

On October 8, 2025, at approximately 2145 hours, SA Collins responded to Grove City for an Officer-Involved Critical Incident (OICI). While en route, SA Rick Ward (lead agent/investigator) contacted SA Collins and asked SA Collins respond to Grant Medical Center. The purpose of this response was to ensure items of evidence were not discarded by medical staff as they were treating an injured Grove City Police (GPD) officer, [REDACTED] and an unidentified male, who was involved in the shooting with police.

When SA Collins arrived, at approximately 1115 hours, he was directed to an ER room, hallway area. Within the hallway there were several law enforcement and EMT personnel. SA Collins was made aware the officers were being represented by FOP Attorney Nicole Wannemacher. SA Collins spoke with Wannemacher by phone. SA Collins understood from previous interactions with Wannemacher, officers were not going to provide a full statement at that time. Wannemacher confirmed that to be the case and understood SA Collins wished to ask public safety questions, collect the uniform/clothing of [REDACTED] and possibly obtain photographs of [REDACTED] injury/s. SA Collins, understanding [REDACTED] was injured, learned [REDACTED] injury was in the pelvic region. Wannemacher asked that due to the region of the injury that photographs not be taken at this time and indicated the injury would be documented in the medical reports which the release would later be consented to.

Upon speaking with [REDACTED], SA Collins noticed [REDACTED] was no longer in uniform and was wearing a hospital gown. SA Collins learned [REDACTED] was being prepped for surgery due to his injury. Due to this circumstance, SA Collins kept the conversation brief. SA Collins introduced himself and advised SA Rick Ward was the lead agent/investigator of the case. SA Collins advised he'd spoken with Wannemacher by

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phone and explained SA Ward and Wannemacher would likely schedule a detailed interview in the future. SA Collins explained he wished to ask [REDACTED] some public safety questions. SA Collins asked [REDACTED] if there were any individuals that were involved who were unaccounted for and he stated no. SA Collins asked if anyone else was injured (other than the involved subject) and he stated no, not that he believed. SA Collins asked if there were any civilian witnesses SA Collins should be aware of and [REDACTED] stated no. SA Collins asked if he knew who the subject involved was and if he'd had any previous interactions. [REDACTED] stated he did not recall having prior interactions with the subject. While speaking with [REDACTED], SA Collins noticed a large clear plastic bag sitting on a chair in his room. SA Collins asked [REDACTED] if this bag contained his uniform and he stated yes. SA Collins collected the bag, to be taken to a Crime Scene Unit (CSU) agent for further processing, if necessary.

SA Collins understood the unidentified male who was involved in the shooting, was also at Grant Medical Center. SA Collins asked GPD officers present if they had a portable fingerprint scanner/reader and they stated yes. SA Collins was directed to the morgue located in the lower level of Grant Medical Center. There, a GPD officer was standing by with the body of the unidentified male. Later, an officer arrived with the fingerprint scanner and advised SA Collins the subject was being identified as Dominique Jalen Byrdsong (05/03/1993). This information was passed onto SA Ward, who advised there was an I.D. located in the scene which matched that information.

SA Collins left the hospital and responded to the scene, 3056 Barbee Ave. Grove City, OH.



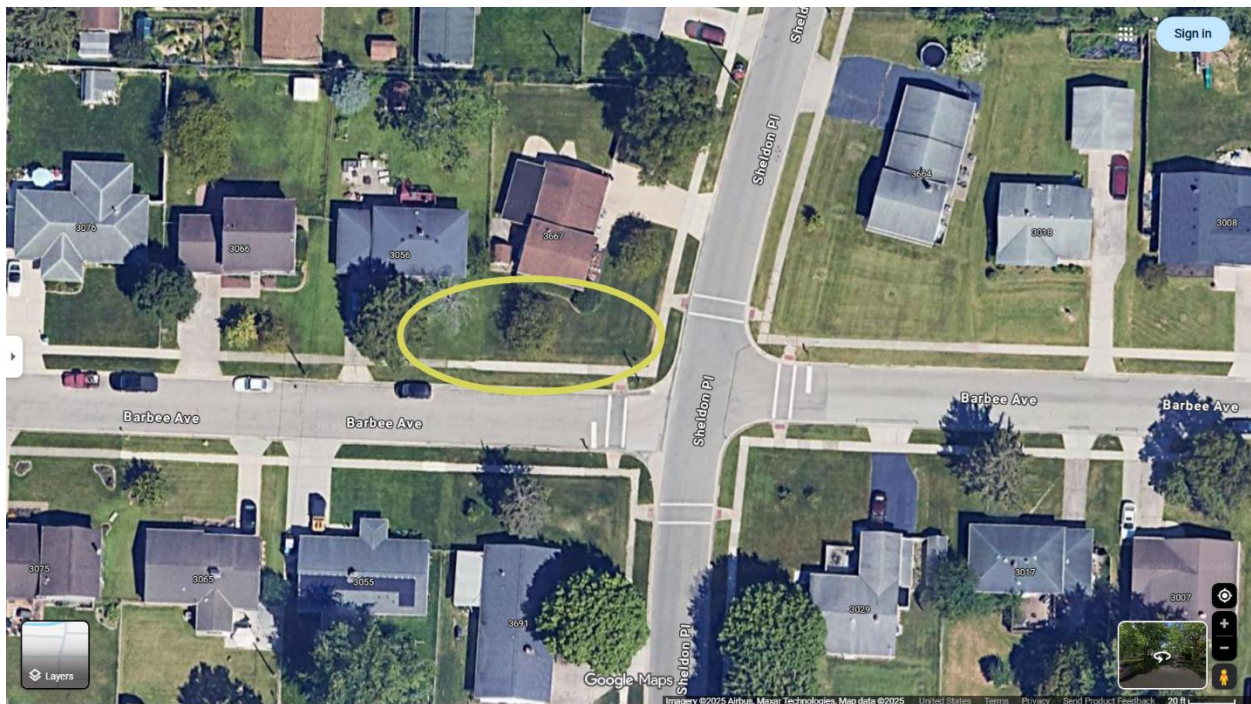
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When SA Collins arrived, it was then October 9th, around 0035 hours. SA Collins advised SA Chung and SA VanBibber of the plastic bag containing [REDACTED] uniform and other unknown contents.

SA Collins then assisted SA Chung and SA VanBibber in locating fired cartridge casings in the lawn area of 3056 Barbee Ave. and 3667 Sheldon Pl. The general area (yellow circle) is depicted in the google map photo below.



References:

None

Attachments:

None

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