



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



2024-1584  
Officer Involved Critical Incident, 27695 Tracy Road, Walbridge,  
OH 43465, (L)

**Investigative Activity:** Police Recorded Calls Review, Radio Traffic Review  
**Involves:** Beau D Purtee (V), Perrysburg Township Police Department (O)  
**Date of Activity:** 07/01/2024  
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**Narrative:**

On July 1, 2024, Special Agent (SA) Josh Rammel (Rammel) reviewed two 911 calls made regarding the Officer Involved Critical Incident (OICI) involving the Perrysburg Township Police Department (PTPD) and deceased individual Beau Purtee (Purtee). The 911 calls were made to the Wood County 911 Dispatch (Dispatch).

The first 911 call was identified as "3\_911\_WC02\_T2\_1\_M1\_2024\_05\_23\_22\_49\_15\_by\_Start\_Time\_asc" and is 10 minutes and 58 seconds in length. The audio began with the time stamp "May 23, 2024, 22 hours 49 minutes 15 seconds". Dispatch identified themselves when the call was answered. The individual on the phone, later identified as Purtee, advised dispatch that the "whole family" was trying to "kill me (Purtee)", and that Purtee "heard a pop". Purtee advised that he was on Tracy Road and near First Solar. Purtee stated that he had a gun, but that he "put it down". Prior to being able to provide a more precise location, Purtee can be heard telling someone to "get back" multiple times and saying, "I will shoot you". Purtee kept telling someone to get back and that he was heard saying "First Solar".

Purtee said that he "dont want to hurt anyone" multiple times mixed with communication that appeared to be Purtee making angry noises such as grunting and yelling to himself. Dispatch was able to provide a better location as being Tracy Road at Blue Jacket Drive. The address was later clarified as lot 327.

Dispatch continued to try and get Purtee to identify himself several times while also asking "who's trying to kill you?". Purtee can be heard unintelligibly in the background. Purtee is heard yelling at someone to "get back", "get back in the house", "let me go", "and "let me out". Purtee did not respond to dispatch when additional information was sought.

At approximately the six (6) minute mark Purtee can be heard on the phone yelling and growling at himself. The volume of Purtee's voice indicated that Purtee may had been further away from his phone than when he initially made the call to 911.

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Approved By SAS Scott A. Stranahan on  
07/03/2024

Dispatch tried for the next few minutes to get Purtee to respond to questions including trying to identify any injuries Purtee may have, but Purtee could only randomly be heard yelling, screaming, and crying unintelligibly.

At eight (8) minutes into the call, Dispatch announced that they may have heard a gunshot, but it was not clear. Purtee continued to not respond back to Dispatch's questions.

At nine (9) minutes ten (10) seconds Purtee is heard screaming very loudly, but still no response back to Dispatch.

At nine (9) minutes 55 seconds a voice can be heard saying "he's right here" before five (5) gunshots are heard over the phone and the command to "back up" is provided.

Unintelligible communication was continued from the responding officers until Dispatch requested a "checkup" at ten (10) minutes 30 seconds.

At ten (10) minutes 39 seconds the responding officers request additional units to respond and advised that they were all okay. Additional information was provided to dispatch informing that Purtee was down in a ditch near the road.

The audio was then concluded.

The second 911 audio clip was identified as "4\_911\_WC12\_T2\_6\_M11\_2024\_05\_23\_23\_04\_46\_by\_Start\_Time\_asc" and was 45 seconds long. The audio began with the time stamp "May 23, 2024, 23 hours 4 minutes 46 seconds". Dispatch identified themselves and was alerted by the individual calling that they "heard gunshots". The individual identified his address as "27695 Tracy Road near First Solar". Dispatch informed the individual that they already had units on scene and advised the individual to "hold on one moment" before the audio ended.

The information contained in this report is only the 911 audio deemed important to the investigation. The 911 audio and 911 audio log identifying both audio clips were attached to this investigation. See the attachment for the complete 911 audio.

#### **Attachments:**

Attachment # 01: 911 call log

Attachment # 02: 3\_911\_WC02\_T2\_1\_M1\_2024\_05\_23\_22\_49\_15\_by\_Start\_Time\_asc

Attachment # 03: 4\_911\_WC12\_T2\_6\_M11\_2024\_05\_23\_23\_04\_46\_by\_Start\_Time\_asc

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