



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



2023-2232

Officer Involved Critical Incident – 5991 S Sunbury Rd, Westerville  
OH 43081

**Investigative Activity:** Court Proceeding  
**Involves:** Jaylyn Young (W)  
**Date of Activity:** 10/06/2025  
**Activity Location:** Franklin County Prosecuting Attorney – 373 S High St., Columbus, OH 43215  
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**Narrative:**

On October 6, 2025 at approximately 1130 hours, Ohio Bureau of Criminal Investigation (BCI) Special Agent Jim Mulford (SA Mulford) attended a pretrial conference at the Franklin County Prosecutor's Office with witness Jaylyn Young (Jaylyn) for State of Ohio Vs. Connor Grubb. This conference was in response to an officer involved critical incident that occurred on August 24, 2023 at 5991 South Sunbury Road, Westerville, OH (Kroger). The incident involved officers with the Blendon Township Police Department and a female identified as Ta'kiya Young.

Montgomery County Prosecutor's Erin Claypoole, Dan Brandt, and Richard Glennon, who are appointed Franklin County Special Prosecutors for this case, conducted multiple conversations with potential witnesses to confirm their testimony and clarify all statements. Attorney Mary Barley-McBride, retained by Kroger, was also present on behalf of Jaylyn.

During this conversation, Jaylyn acknowledged that she originally stated to a BCI agent that she did not want to see what was going to happen and turned to get away. She then saw the back of Ta'kiya's vehicle move forward and heard the roar of the engine. Jaylyn clarified that she did turn her head to the left and her view was obstructed. She could only see part of the vehicle inch forward and heard the car.

Jaylyn was very upset during the conference and stated the incident has caused her emotional and mental stress that has affected her memory.

**References:**

No references.

**Attachments:**

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