



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



2022-1190
Officer Involved Critical Incident – 1551 Meadowlark Lane,
Marysville, Ohio 43040 (L)

Investigative Activity: Information Provided/Obtained
Involves: Marysville Police Department (O)
Date of Activity: 06/02/2022
Activity Location: Marysville Police Department – Business – 1250 West 5th Street,
Marysville, OH 43040
Author: SA Perry K. Roeser, #114

Narrative:

On June 2, 2022, Ohio Bureau of Criminal Investigation (BCI) Special Agent Perry Roeser received and reviewed an external hard and thumb drive provided by the Marysville Police Department regarding the Officer-Involved Critical Incident (OICI) from May 30, 2022, under investigation. Marysville uniformed police officers arrived after the OICI and rendered aid to the involved subject, Matthew Todhunter. Marysville Police Sergeant (Sgt.) Nathan Stone provided the 1 TB hard drive (reference #1) that contained sixty-two scene photos and footage from four (4) officers with active Body-Worn Cameras (BWC). The thumb drive (reference #2) contained one BWC. Sgt. Stone also provided a police incident/investigation report (see attachment #1) from Officer Lollini and Sgt. Nicol. See attachment #1 for additional details.

References:

Portable Hard Drive – Black Silicon Power 1 TB Armor A80
USB Thumbdrive – Black PNY 32 GB-MPD BWC

Attachments:

Attachment # 01: Marysville PD Incident Report

Exhibit 1

INCIDENT/INVESTIGATION REPORT

I N C I D E N T D A T A	Agency Name <i>Marysville Division Of Police</i>				INCIDENT/INVESTIGATION REPORT				Case# <i>22-01088</i>				
	ORI <i>OH0800100</i>								Date / Time Reported <i>05/30/2022 00:00 Mon</i>				
	Location of Incident <i>1551 MEADOWLARK LA, Marysville OH 43040</i>				Gang Relat <i>NO</i>		Premise Type		Zone/Beat <i>ME</i>		Last Known Secure <i>05/30/2022 00:00 Mon</i>		
											At Found <i>05/30/2022 00:00 Mon</i>		
D E T A I L	#1	Crime Incident(s) <i>Assist Other Agency</i>			(Com)	Weapon / Tools				Activity			
		<i>10A</i>	Entry	Exit	Security								
	#2	Crime Incident			()	Weapon / Tools				Activity			
			Entry	Exit	Security								
	#3	Crime Incident			()	Weapon / Tools				Activity			
			Entry	Exit	Security								
MO													
V I C T I M	# of Victims	<i>1</i>	Type			<i>SOCIETY/PUBLIC</i>			Injury:				
	V1	Victim/Business Name (Last, First, Middle) <i>State Of Ohio</i>				Victim of Crime # <i>1</i>	DOB <i>Age</i>	Race	Sex	Relationship To Offender	Resident Status	Military Branch/Status	
	Home Address				Email				Home Phone				
	Employer Name/Address				Business Phone				Mobile Phone				
	VYR	Make	Model	Style	Color	Lic/Lis		VIN					
	CODES V- Victim (Denote V2, V3) O = Owner (if other than victim) R = Reporting Person (if other than victim)												
O T H E R S	Type:	<i>INDIVIDUAL/ NOT LAW ENFORCEMENT</i>			Injury:								
	Code	Name (Last, First, Middle) <i>VORHEIS, SAVANNA ROSETTA</i>				Victim of Crime #	DOB <i>05/24/1993</i>	Race	Sex	Relationship To Offender	Resident Status	Military Branch/Status	
	Home Address <i>1551 MEADOWLARK LA MARYSVILLE, OH 43040</i>				Email				Home Phone				
	Employer Name/Address				Business Phone				Mobile Phone				
	Type:	<i>INDIVIDUAL/ NOT LAW ENFORCEMENT</i>			Injury:								
	Code	Name (Last, First, Middle) <i>HARDING, BRITTANY NICOLE</i>				Victim of Crime #	DOB <i>08/05/1993</i>	Race	Sex	Relationship To Offender	Resident Status	Military Branch/Status	
Home Address <i>1282 TARRAGON DR MARYSVILLE, OH 43040</i>				Email				Home Phone <i>937-594-3424</i>					
Employer Name/Address				Business Phone				Mobile Phone					
P R O P E R T Y	1 = None 2 = Burned 3 = Counterfeit / Forged 4 = Damaged / Vandalized 5 = Stolen 6 = Seized 7 = Recovered 8 = Unknown (*OJ" = Recovered for Other Jurisdiction)												
	VI #	Code	Status Frm/Tc	Value	OJ	QTY	Property Description			Make/Model		Serial Number	
Officer/ID# <i>LOLLINI, A. (PAT, PCRP) (390)</i>													
Invest ID# <i>(0)</i>						Supervisor <i>WILBUR, S. (PAT, PCRP) (394)</i>							
Complainant Signature				Case Status <i>Open Investigation</i>		<i>05/31/2022</i>		Case Disposition: <i>Investigation Pending</i>		<i>05/31/2022</i>		Page 2	

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Status Codes	1 = None 2 = Burned 3 = Counterfeit / Forged 4 = Damaged / Vandalized 5 = Stolen 6 = Seized 7 = Recovered 8 = Unknown							
D R U G S	IBR	Status	Quantity	Type Measure	Suspected Type			

Assisting Officers
BROOKS, T.L. (77), MCGLENN, D.S. (49), SACHS, N.T. (139), NICOL, R.C. (17), STONE, N.W. (109), WILBUR, S. (394), SMITH, J.K. (138), SMITH, J.K. (138), BUTTERWORTH, R. (195), WYCKOFF, C.A. (488), RICH, A.J. (552), PALUMBO, D. (627), PALUMBO, D. (627), MILLER, B. (628)

Suspect Hate / Bias Motivated.

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NARRATIVE
 RP Reports a man with a gun in her residence.

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OCA
22-01088
Date / Time Reported
Mon 05/30/2022 00:00

Victim	Offense
Society	ASSIST OTHER AGENCY

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On May 30, 2022, Officers were dispatched to 1551 Meadowlark Lane in regard to a person with a gun.

While in route, dispatch advised over the radio and in the call log notes that the RP, identified as Savanna Vorheis was very quiet when she contacted 911. Savanna Vorheis advised over the phone that a man with a gun was in her residence. Dispatch advised that the male, Matthew Todhunter has been pointing a gun at people. Savanna Vorheis advised dispatch that Matthew Todhunter is now outside of the residence, sitting in a white truck just outside of the home with a gun.

Dispatch advised that Union County Deputy Unit # 858 now has one at gunpoint. UCSO # 858 is Deputy Matejko. A short time later, Union County Dispatch advised over the radio, "shots fired."

Upon arrival to the scene, Officer Curtis Wyckoff had exited his marked patrol cruiser and was yelling for me to grab a med kit. I secured my medical kit and ran up to the scene to find a white male, later identified as Matthew Todhunter, laying on his back with a gunshot wound to the abdomen, chest and left arm. Officer Curtis Wyckoff started to render aid to Matthew Todhunter. It should be noted that upon arrival, a white female, identified as Brittany Harding, was already on scene and was frantic.

Matthew Todhunter was laying on the ground outside of a White Dodge Ram that he was driving at the time. It should be noted that laying roughly 5-10 feet from Matthew Todhunter's current location, was what appeared to be a black handgun with an unknown silver in color object around the handgrip of the pistol.

It should be noted that while attempting to render aid to Matthew Todhunter, Brittany Harding was very upset and emotion and was physically moving around in the street. At on point, Brittany Harding had actually climbed up into the truck being driven by Matthew Todhunter at the time. It was unknown if any weapons were present inside the truck and Brittany Harding then climbed up into the vehicle and had to be removed from the scene due to her frantic behavior.

Officer Wyckoff continued to render aid to Matthew Todhunter before medics could arrive. Once medics arrived on scene, Matthew Todhunter was assessed by the medics and later transported to Union County Memorial Health. Matthew Todhunter was pronounced dead at the hospital a short time later.

Due to the fact that the incident took place with two different agencies present, Ohio Bureau of Criminal Investigations (BCI) was contacted to investigate the matter. Officers remained on scene until BCI completed there on scene investigation.

According to a witness statement obtained from Savanna Vorheis, Matthew Todhunter had arrived at her fiancee's home to drop his son off. Savanna Vorheis advised that at some point she noticed that Matthew Todhunter had a gun in his waistband. Savanna Vorheis had quietly contacted 911 so that Matthew Todhunter wouldn't notice her. Savanna Vorheis advised that Lindsey Todhunter, the current wife of Matthew Todhunter, had approached her and said that he should put a bullet between her eyes. According to Savanna Vorheis, Matthew Todhunter had then pulled the gun from his waistband and put it up to Lindsey Todhunters head. Savanna Vorheis advised that the firearm was black in color.

According to Savanna Vorheis, Matthew Todhunter told his son that he was planning on killing himself. Lindsey Todhunter had said, while on scene, that Matthew Todhunter had been using drugs. It is unknown, what if anything is the drug Matthew Todhunter is currently using.

All witness statements were collected by Officers and Sheriff Deputies and later provided to the BCI Agent in

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Victim <i>Society</i>	Offense <i>ASSIST OTHER AGENCY</i>
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charge.

A more thorough supplemental report will be completed at a later time.

At this time, Ohio BCI is investigating the matter.

This occurred in the City of Marysville, the County of Union, the State of Ohio.

Lollini, 915.

Incident Report Suspect List

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1	Name (Last, First, Middle) <i>TODHUNTER, MATTHEW R</i>					Also Known As					Home Address <i>21743 STATE ROUTE 347 RAYMOND, OH 43067 937-578-8757</i>				
	Business Address														
	DOB <i>07/16/1988</i>	Age <i>33</i>	Race <i>W</i>	Sex <i>M</i>	Eth <i>N</i>	Hgt <i>602</i>	Wgt <i>205</i>	Hair <i>BRO</i>	Eye <i>BRO</i>	Skin <i>FAR</i>	Driver's License / State XXXXXXXXXX <i>OH</i>				
Scars, Marks, Tattoos, or other distinguishing features															
Reported Suspect Detail															
Weapon, Type		Feature		Make		Model		Color		Caliber		Dir of Travel		SSN	
VehYr/Make/Model		Drs		Style		Color		Lic/St		VIN					
Notes										Physical Char					

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OCA: 2201088

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Case Status: *OPEN INVESTIGATION*Case Mng Status: *NA*Occurred: *05/30/2022*Offense: *ASSIST OTHER AGENCY*Investigator: *NICOL, R. C. (17)*Date / Time: *06/01/2022 18:23:08, Wednesday*Supervisor: *NICOL, R. C. (17)*Supervisor Review Date / Time: *06/01/2022 18:54:39, Wednesday*

Contact:

Reference: *Other*

On May 30, 2022 the Marysville Police were dispatched to a person with a gun at 1551 Meadowlark Ln. in Marysville. At the time of dispatch I was out with a vehicle on a traffic stop so could not immediately respond to the scene. Just as I finished the traffic stop I heard over the radio that shots were fired at the 1551 Meadowlark Ln. address.

I then proceeded to Meadowlark Ln. Upon my arrival I saw units from the Marysville Police Division and the Union County Sheriff Office rendering aid to a male laying on the street beside a white Dodge truck. There were two females near the scene who were very distrust and yelling at the officers. I saw the handgun laying on the street behind where the officers were rendering aid, and in front of the females, so I removed it and secured it in my cruiser.

I went back to the scene and was then informed that this was an officer involved shooting. I then made a phone call to Captain Don McGlenn and informed him as to what was going on.

After this I went to the females and talked with Brittany Harding who was very distrust and wanting to tell me what was going on and telling me that the male only had a BB gun. I tried to keep her on the sidewalk and away from the scene and let her vent to me.

Once the Marysville Fire Medics arrived I surveyed the scene and located four shell casings laying beside of a Sheriff Cruiser. I marked the location of the casing so they would not be disturbed.

When Lt. Justice from the Union County Sheriff arrived I informed him as to what I knew had transpired and informed him who the female witness were.

Once Captain McGlenn and Chief Brooks arrived on the scene I made a call to Officer Miller whom I had go to the Memorial Hospital where the Medics were going to take the victim and advised her to stand by there in case the family arrived. I placed a phone call to Officer Miller and asked if she knew the condition of the victim and if they were going to fly him to Columbus. She advised me that they were not going to fly him and that they were going to pronounce him deceased in a manner of minutes. I advised Captian McGlenn that I would go to the hospital as Officer Miller was there alone and I wanted to be there if the family caused any issues when the announcement was made to them.

At this time I left and went to Memorial Hospital and stayed outside the room of the deceased until the body was removed and taken to Montgomery County Corner Office.

There was no issues at Memorial Hospital.

Sgt. R. Nicol.

Investigator Signature

Supervisor Signature