



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



2022-1726  
Officer Involved Critical Incident – 15266 Gilchrist Rd., Mt.  
Vernon (L)

**Investigative Activity:** Interview with Officer  
**Involves:** Lt. David Sizemore (W)  
**Date of Activity:** 09/27/2022  
**Activity Location:** Ohio State Highway Patrol Aviation Section – Business – 2829 West  
Dublin–Granville Road, Columbus, OH 43235, Franklin County  
**Author:** SA John P. Tingley, #154

**Narrative:**

On September 27, 2022, at approximately 1857 hours, Ohio Bureau of Criminal Investigation (BCI) Special Agent (SA) John Tingley (Tingley) interviewed Ohio State Highway Patrol (OSHP) Lieutenant (Lt.) David Sizemore (Sizemore) of the OSHP Aviation Section. The interview took place at the OSHP Aviation Section Office, which is located at 2829 West Dublin–Granville Road, Columbus, Ohio. The interview was audio recorded.

Lt. Sizemore was identified as being a law enforcement officer who witnessed and/or had some level of involvement in the August 20, 2022, officer–involved critical incident, which occurred in the area of 15266 Gilchrist Road, Mt. Vernon, Knox County, Ohio. Reportedly, Lt. Sizemore did not discharge a firearm during the course of the incident. The purpose of the interview was to obtain all relevant information of the incident known or observed by this officer.

This report only summarizes the information deemed by the author to be of the most relevance to the investigation and does not purport to contain all questions and answers from the interview. Further, this report was placed in a chronology to aid the reader's overall understanding of the information obtained during the interview and may not be reflective of the actual sequencing of questions nor is it a word–for–word translation of either the questions or answers. It is suggested that the full recording be reviewed to clarify any content or contextual questions regarding the information from the interview.

SA Tingley started the interview by asking Lt. Sizemore to describe his involvement in the officer–involved critical incident from August 20, 2022.

Lt. Sizemore advised that he and OSHP Trooper (Tpr.) Vogelmeier were called out to relieve the night OSHP aviation crew. They flew to the Knox County airport, where they met up with

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and were briefed by the crew being relieved. Upon relieving the night crew, Lt. Sizemore, who was the pilot, and Tpr. Vogelmeier, who was the Flight Tactical Officer (FTO), flew to the scene and began monitoring the area and kept the law enforcement ground personnel updated.

Lt. Sizemore stated that he then observed the two subjects get into a vehicle and drive from the "mother's house" (15266 Gilchrist Road, Mt. Vernon, Ohio) to the main subject's residence (15159 Monroe Mills Road, Mt. Vernon, Ohio). The subjects parked the vehicle behind the house, got out and went into the residence. One of the tactical teams in a Bearcat then drove onto the property and went behind the residence, where the Bearcat was used to disable the subjects' vehicle.

Shortly thereafter, Lt. Sizemore advised that he observed movement and saw the subjects get into a side by side and begin travelling westbound toward the "mother's house." During this time, Tpr. Vogelmeier kept giving updates to the ground units. Lt. Sizemore stated that he then saw the subjects in the side by side come through the tree line, near the "mother's house," and come to a stop. He advised that he later learned that both of the subjects were deceased at the scene, where the side by side had stopped.

Lt. Sizemore and Tpr. Vogelmeier continued to provide surveillance until eventually told that they were cleared to leave the scene.

The interview concluded at approximately 1902 hours.

This interview was audio recorded and is attached to this case file. Please review the audio recording for further details.

**Attachments:**

Attachment # 01: 2022-1726 INTERVIEW OSHP LT. SIZEMORE