



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



2024-1474
Officer Involved Critical Incident - 16100 Van Aken Blvd.,
Shaker Heights, OH

Investigative Activity: Initial Response to Incident Scene and Actions Taken
Involves: Multiple Northeast Ohio Law Enforcement Agencies
Activity Date: 05/12/2024
Activity Location: 16100 Van Aken Boulevard, Shaker Heights, Ohio
(Cuyahoga County)
Authoring Agent: Special Agent Charlie Snyder #90

Narrative:

On Sunday, May 12, 2024, at approximately 1645 hours, the Ohio Bureau of Criminal Investigation (BCI) was requested to investigate an officer involved critical incident, involving personnel from the Euclid Police Department, the Cleveland Heights Police Department, and the Elyria Police Department. The incident occurred at 16100 Van Aken Boulevard, Shaker Heights, Ohio 44120.

Actions Taken:

BCI Special Agent Charlie Snyder (Snyder) arrived at the staging area and met with Special Agent in Charge Mark Kollar (Kollar) at approximately 1853 hours, along with Special Agent Stacey Fifer (Fifer). In short order, it was determined that the incident scene at 16100 Van Aen Boulevard was secured and safe for personnel to proceed there. Kolar, Fifer, and Snyder then relocated to the scene.

Initial information indicated there had been exchanges of gunfire between the deceased subject and law enforcement officers. The decedent subject was firing rounds from inside a fourth-floor apartment at officers both inside the building and outside. Four law enforcement officers were identified as personnel who had fired their weapons during this incident.

They were learned to be:

- [REDACTED], Euclid Police Department
- [REDACTED], Euclid Police Department
- [REDACTED], Cleveland Heights Police Department
- [REDACTED], Elyria Police Department and acting as a member of U.S. Marshall's Task Force

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The involved officer's weapons fired during this incident were identified and secured in preparation for documentation by Crime Scene Unit personnel and subsequent packaging and transportation to BCI for forensic analysis.

Snyder then collected digital images of the involved police personnel in their manner of uniform at the time of the incident. Those images will be subsequently uploaded into this matter.

Snyder remained on-scene, providing further assistance until subsequently relieved by Kollar.

References:

None

Attachments:

- 1. 2024-05-12 - [REDACTED] Uniform - front - DSC00065
- 2. 2024-05-12 - [REDACTED] Uniform - left side - DSC00066
- 3. 2024-05-12 - [REDACTED] Uniform - rear-back - DSC00067
- 4. 2024-05-12 - [REDACTED] Uniform - right side - DSC00068
- 5. 2024-05-12 - [REDACTED] Uniform - front - DSC00061
- 6. 2024-05-12 - [REDACTED] Uniform - right side - DSC00062
- 7. 2024-05-12 - [REDACTED] Uniform - back-rear - DSC00063
- 8. 2024-05-12 - [REDACTED] Uniform - left side - DSC00064
- 9. 2024-05-12 - [REDACTED] - Uniform front - DSC00057
- 10. 2024-05-12 - [REDACTED] - Uniform - right side - DSC00058
- 11. 2024-05-12 - [REDACTED] - Uniform - rear back DSC00059
- 12. 2024-05-12 - [REDACTED] - Uniform left side - DSC00060
- 13. 2024-05-12 - [REDACTED] Uniform - front DSC00053
- 14. 2024-05-12 - [REDACTED] Uniform - right side -DSC00054
- 15. 2024-05-12 - [REDACTED] Uniform - back rear DSC00055
- 16. 2024-05-12 - [REDACTED] Uniform - Left side - DSC00056

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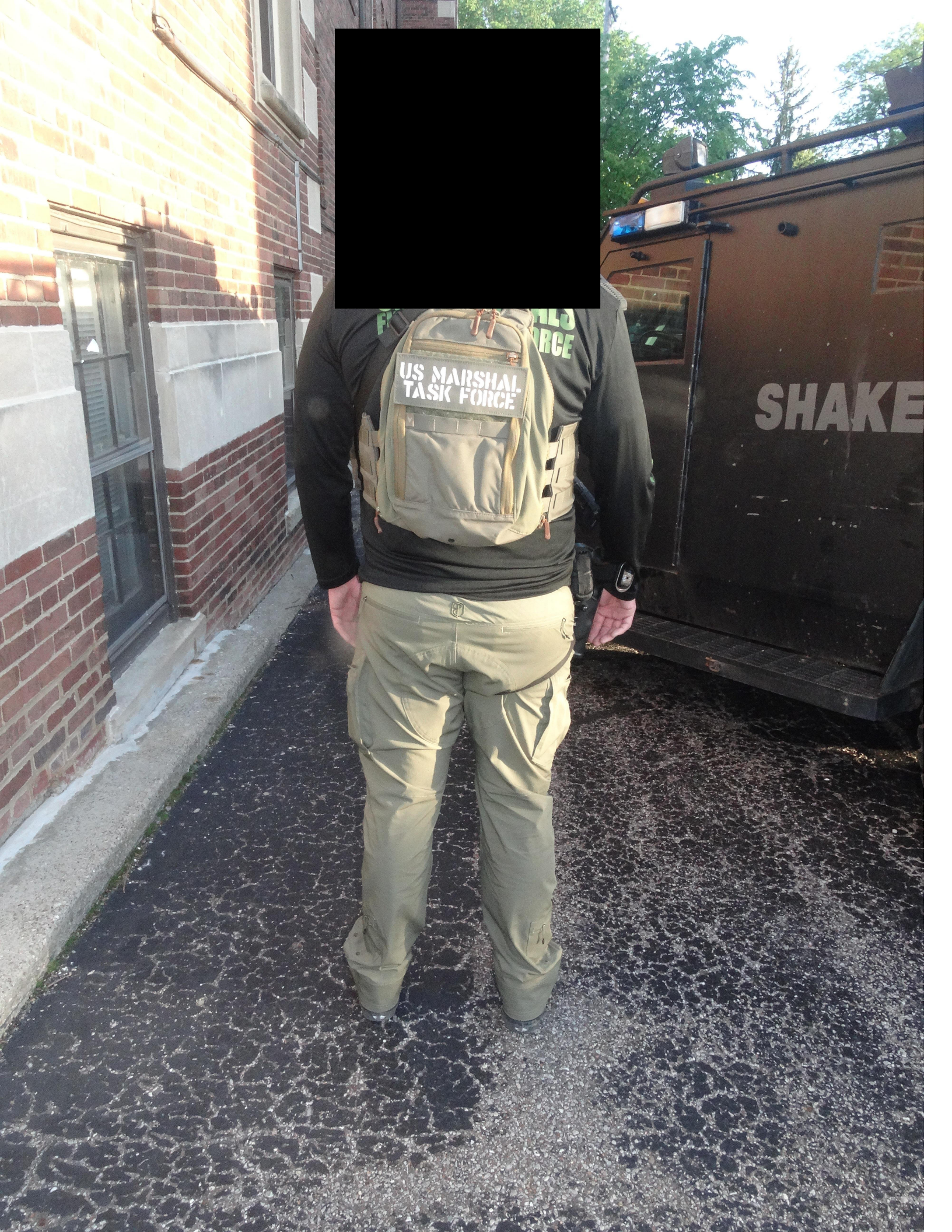


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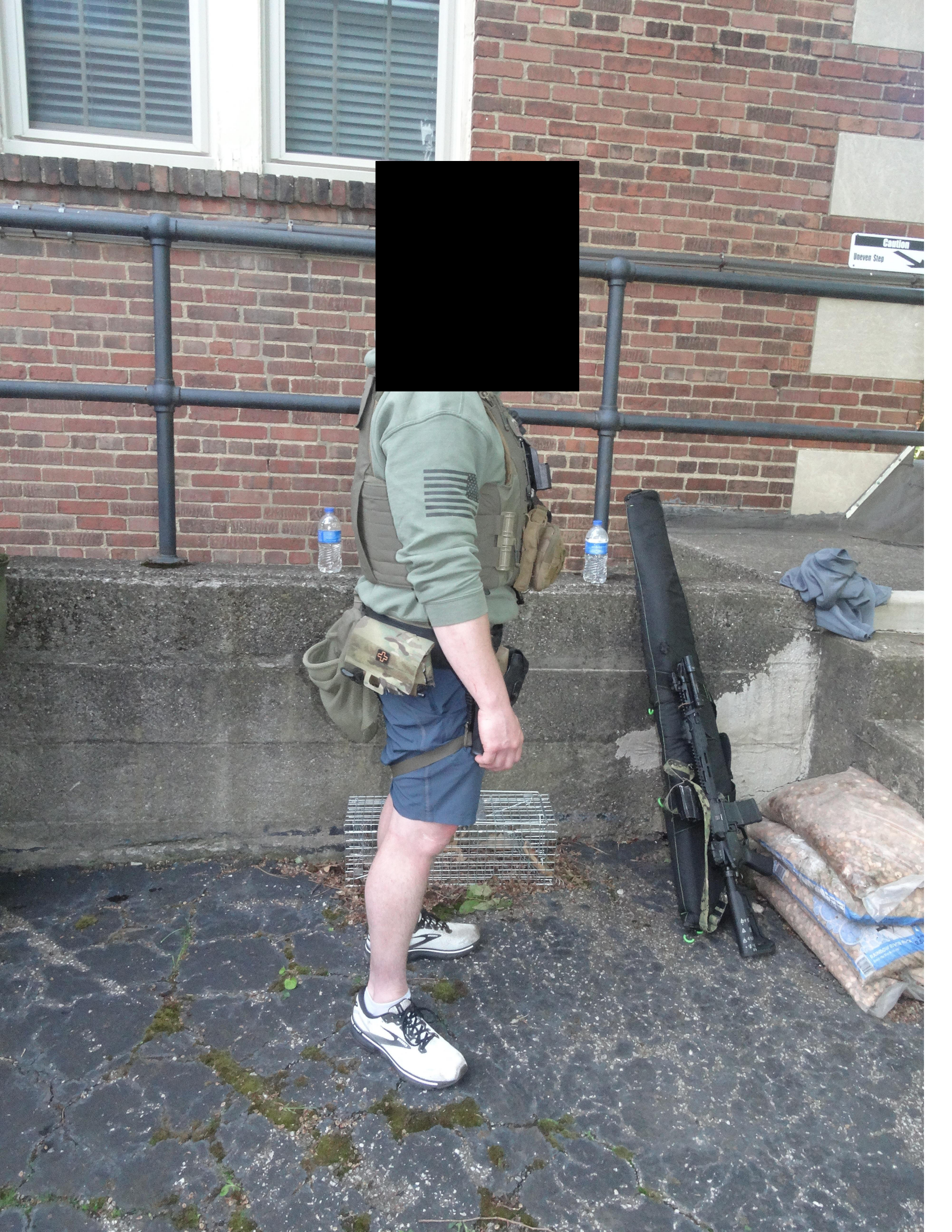
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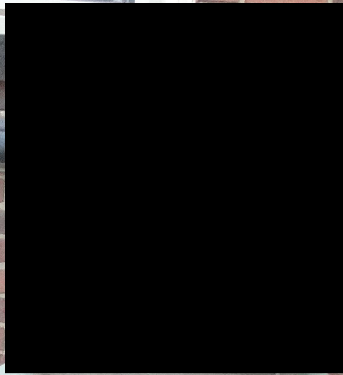


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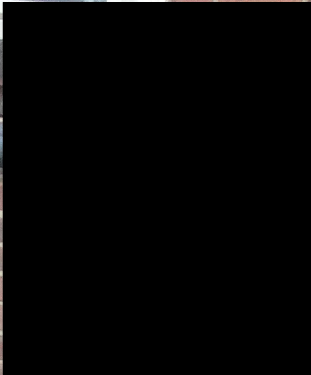


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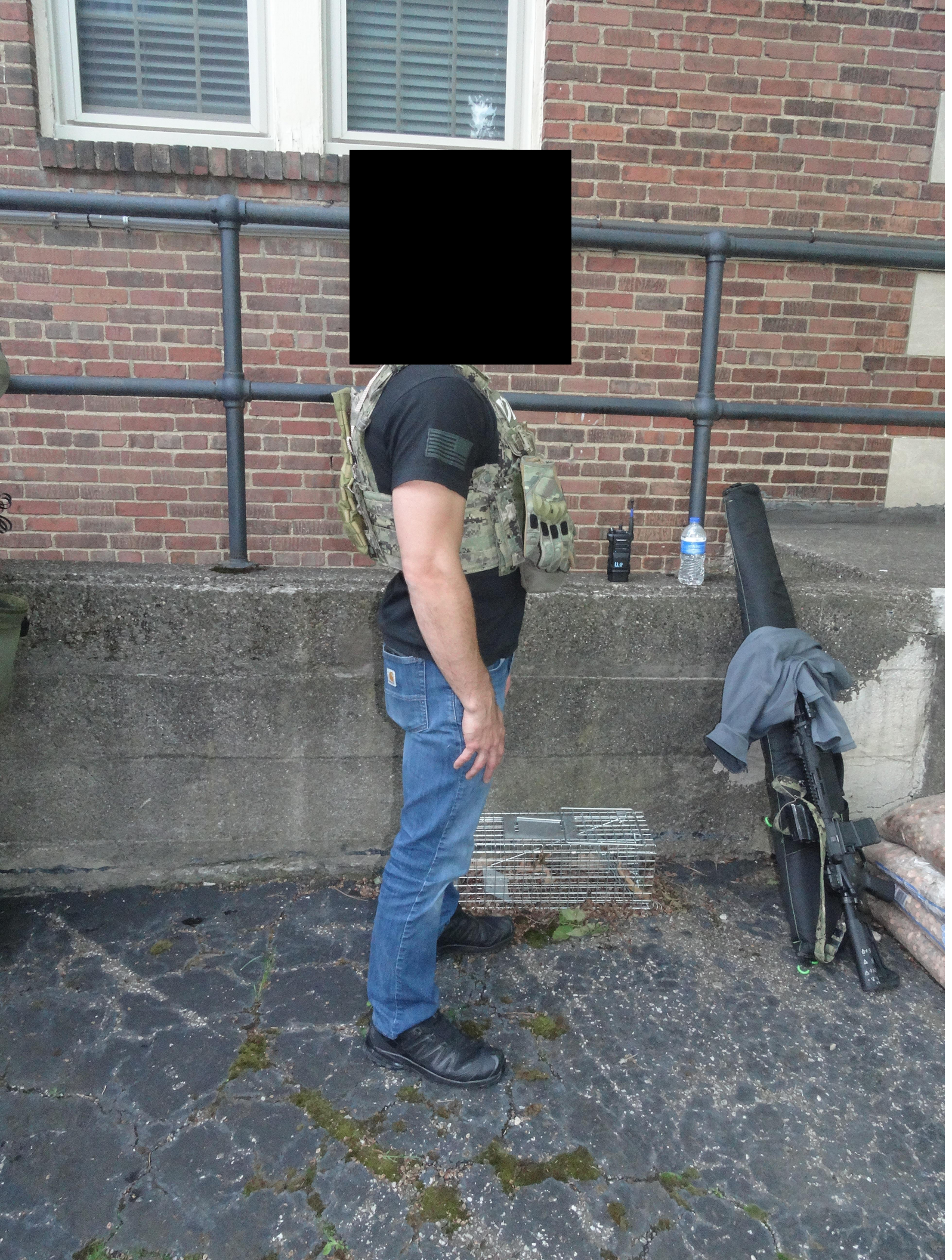
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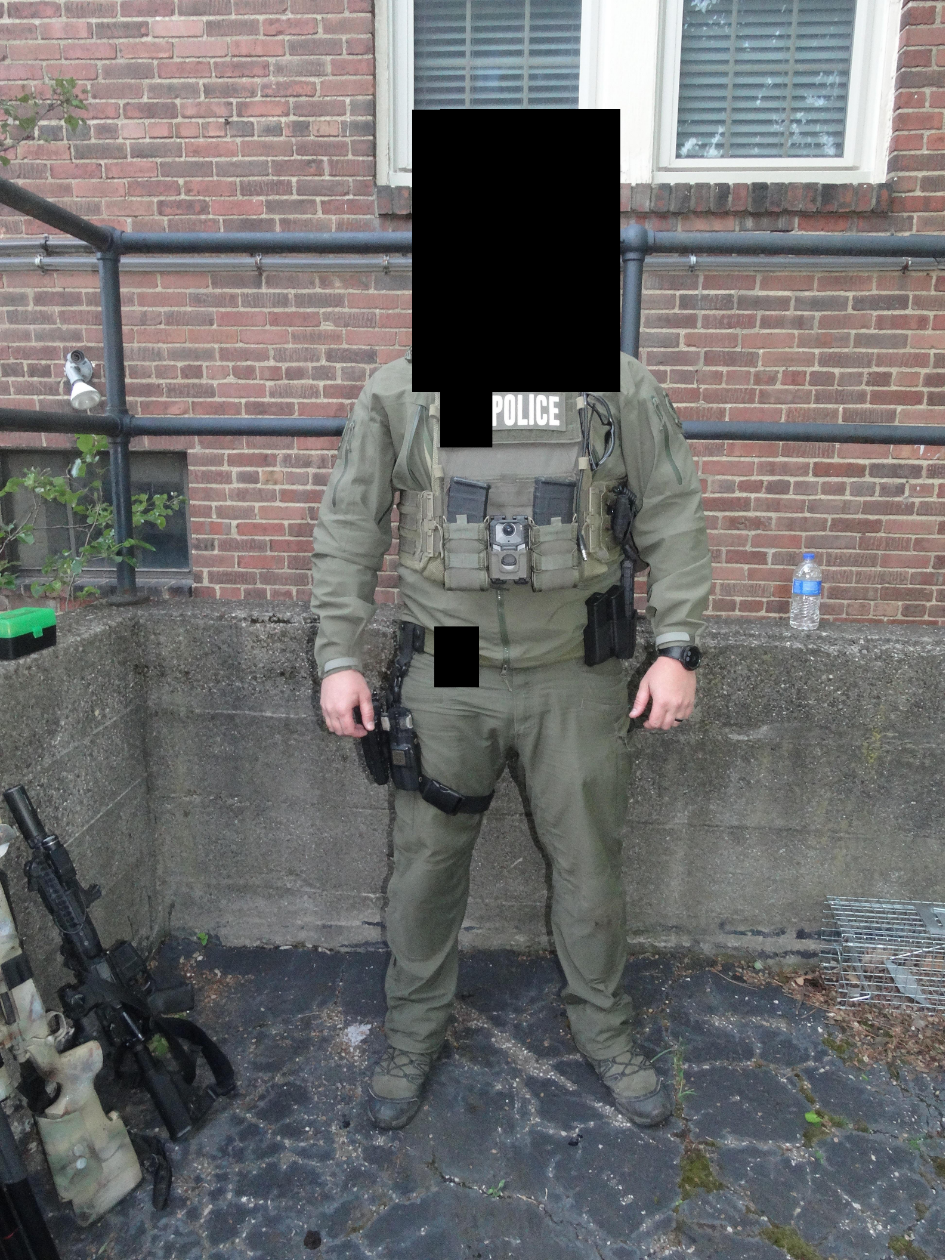
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