



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



2025-3447

Officer Involved Critical Incident - 1642 Cherry Ln., Findlay,
Ohio 45840, Hancock County (L)

Investigative Activity: Findlay Police Department (FPD) Witness Officer
Interviews
Involves: Findlay Police Department (O), Officer Nick Huber (W)
Activity Date: 11/17/2025
Activity Location: 318 Dorney Plaza Suite 116, Findlay, OH 45840
Authoring Agent: SA Douglas Burke #162

Narrative:

On Monday, November 17, 2025, at 1458 hours, Ohio Bureau of Criminal Investigation (BCI) Special Agent (SA) Douglas Burke (SA Burke) and SA Ryan Emahiser (SA Emahiser) interviewed Findlay Police Department (FPD) Officer (Ofc.) Nick Huber (Huber), who was accompanied by his attorney, Yvonne Trevino, from the Ohio Patrolmen's Benevolent Association (OPBA). The interview took place at 318 Dorney Plaza Suite 116, Findlay, OH 45840. The interview was audio-recorded.

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 audio recording. Further, this report was placed in a chronology to aid the reader's overall understanding of the information elicited during the interview and may not be reflective of the actual sequencing of questions or responses. It is suggested that the reader refer to the audio recording in its entirety.

Ofc. Huber was identified as being a police officer who witnessed and/or had some level of involvement in the October 22, 2025, officer-involved shooting which occurred in the area of 1642 Cherry Lane, Findlay, Ohio. Reportedly, Ofc. Huber 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.

Ofc. Huber stated that his radio call sign on October 22, 2025, was 865. He has been employed by the FPD for about eleven (11) years. He has been a police officer for a total of eleven (11) years. During the incident, Ofc. Huber wore his standard police uniform with a police badge affixed to it. He also wore an external ballistic vest and duty belt. He drove FPD unit #661, a Ford Explorer, marked with FPD emblems and emergency lights. He considered himself to be well-represented as a police officer during the incident. He stated that he was not under the influence of any substance

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that would impair his memory or judgment during the incident or during the interview with BCI.

Ofc. Huber stated that his Global Positioning System (GPS) in his marked FPD Cruiser indicated Ofc. Huber was responding to 1649 Cherry Lane to a report of a possible shooting or shooting in progress, so Ofc. Huber and [REDACTED] had initially responded to that address. Ofc. Huber indicated that he and [REDACTED] were the first two (2) officers initially on scene. Ofc. Huber stated that he checked a vehicle at 1649 Cherry Lane, which came back to the homeowner, then checked the backside of the house and everything appeared to be normal.

Ofc. Huber had been walking back around to the front of the house where [REDACTED] had been checking but then noticed [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] "jogging" across Cherry Lane to another residence across the street, 1642 Cherry Lane. Ofc. Huber said that as he was in the middle of the street "jogging" towards 1642 Cherry Lane to [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] location, Ofc. Huber heard [REDACTED] yell, "**gun, gun, gun.**" According to Ofc. Huber, he then heard, "**shots ring out.**"

After the shots rang out, Ofc. Huber immediately looked for cover, as Ofc. Huber observed [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] back away from the front door of the house at 1642 Cherry Lane. Ofc. Huber stated he eventually made it to the area where [REDACTED] had retreated to (southeast corner of the house at 1642 Cherry Lane), in an effort to keep an eye on everyone and make sure no one exited the house.

SA Emahiser asked Ofc. Huber, when he heard, "**gun, gun, gun**" being yelled by [REDACTED] during that immediate time, if Ofc. Huber was able to see the front door or a gun. Ofc. Huber said that he could see the front door. However, Ofc. Huber could not see or make any gun out as he was too far away. According to Ofc. Huber, he could not tell if anyone had been standing in the doorway, due to Ofc. Huber's angle to the front door as the shots were fired.

Ofc. Huber stayed in the area of [REDACTED] until other FPD officers arrived on scene. Upon other FPD officers arriving on scene, two (2) shield teams had been established. [REDACTED] had been a part of the shield team, which approached from the southeast corner of 1642 Cherry Lane to the front door. SA Burke asked Ofc. Huber, as he approached the front door, had anything of importance stuck out in his mind. Ofc. Huber said he had transitioned to a "tactical" mindset due to not knowing if any suspect(s) or injured subject(s) might be inside house due to the nature of the initial call.

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As the shield teams approached the front screen door, the door had been opened by other FPD Officers and Ofc. Huber entered the house and **"pushed past the body,"** lying just inside the front door to clear the rest of the house. SA Burke asked Ofc. Huber if anyone else had been located inside of the house while clearing the house and rendering it safe and Ofc. Huber said, **"no."**

SA Burke asked Ofc. Huber if he ever heard [REDACTED] or [REDACTED] say, **"drop the weapon or drop the gun"**, prior to hearing [REDACTED] yell, **"gun, gun, gun."** Ofc. Huber said he never heard this from either officer. SA Burke asked Ofc. Huber, during the incident, if he ever heard the subject inside the residence, later determined to be Robert Norton (Robert), make any comments before, during, or after the OICI. Ofc. Huber said he did not.

SA Burke asked Ofc. Huber if he at any time during the OICI use any lethal force. Ofc. Huber said he did not. SA Burke asked Ofc. Huber if he ever used any sort of less lethal force during the OICI. Ofc. Huber said he did not. Ofc. Huber acknowledged his Body Worn Camera (BWC) had been activated during the OICI.

Ofc. Huber had no other relevant information and the interview concluded at approximately 1503 hours.

The interview was audio-recorded and was placed in AXON Justice listed as Reference Item C.

References:

Reference Item C-Interviews folder > Witness Officer Interviews > Findlay PD
Officer Nick Huber – stored in Axon Justice

Attachments:

None

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