



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



2026-2171

Officer Involved Critical Incident - 9093 Zinnia Court, Apt
1209, West Chester, Ohio 45069 (L)

Investigative Activity: File to Prosecutor
Involves: Lorenzo Miller, [REDACTED]
Activity Date: 08/19/2026
Authoring Agent: SA Joshua T. Welty, # 173

Narrative:

On Wednesday, August 19, 2026, the Ohio Bureau of Criminal Investigation sent an Axon download link to Butler County Assistant Prosecuting Attorney Brad Burress. The download contained the investigative case file for the Officer-Involved Critical Incident that occurred on June 4, 2026, at 9093 Zinnia Court, Apartment 1209, West Chester, Ohio 45069, involving Lorenzo Miller and [REDACTED]

Attachment:
Agency Notification

Reference:
None

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August 19, 2026

Chief Brian Rebholz
West Chester Township Police Department
9577 Beckett Road, Suite 500
West Chester, Ohio 45069

Dear Chief Rebholz,

On June 4, 2026, the West Chester Township Police Department requested BCI to investigate the officer-involved critical incident resulting in the death of Lorenzo Jeffrey Miller (BCI case # 2026-2171). As of August 19, 2026, the findings of that investigation was forwarded to the Butler County Prosecutor's Office for review.

Consistent with BCI's protocols, this investigation sought the facts and circumstances of the incident and does not include any determinations of fault – the legality of the actions involved will be determined by the prosecutor and/or grand jury. Of note, prior to BCI completing their investigation the case was presented to the GJ and no billed. Now that the prosecutor has the entire case file, we will begin the process of returning evidence and closing the case. Should you wish to have copy our investigation, it can be provided to you, via evidence.com link.

BCI's investigation does not address any potential policy or procedure violations by your personnel, focusing solely on criminal statutes. Additionally, BCI is not involved in any decisions pertaining to internal discipline or return-to-work decisions which your department may choose to make.

Thank you for considering the skills and expertise of BCI in helping you resolve this important matter. I appreciate your concerns in handling this matter in a way that promotes public trust. Should you have any questions, please feel free to contact me directly at 614-633-5586.

Very respectfully yours,

Kevin Barbeau
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