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Investigative Report

2023-2232

Officer Involved Critical Incident - 5991 S Sunbury Rd, Westerville OH 43081



Investigative Activity: Processing of Involved Officers (Scene 3)

Activity Date: August 24, 2023

Activity Location: Blendon Township Police Department

6330 S Hempstead Rd, Westerville, OH 43081

Authoring Agent: Special Agent Cassandra Tackett

On August 24, 2023, the Ohio Bureau of Criminal Investigation (BCI) was requested for an officer involved critical incident that took place in a Kroger parking lot, located at 5991 South Sunbury Road Westerville, OH. It was reported that a Blendon Township Police Department (BTPD) officer had shot a female, Ta'kiya Young (Young), who allegedly attempted to hit officers with her vehicle; see report "Processing of Shooting Scene (*Scene 1*)." Special Agents (SA) Mathew Austin and Cassandra Tackett responded.

SA Tackett arrived at the BTPD at approximately 2310 hours. There, she documented two involved officers and their duty weapons through photography. Officer Connor Grubb was wearing a black polo with department patches on the sleeves, green tactical pants, and an external ballistic vest that read "police" on the front right and also across the back in white lettering. The vest also had a badge and name tag on it, as well as pouches that held various duty gear. Officer Grubb stated he was wearing sunglasses and had a body camera on his vest at the time of the incident; they were not worn when photographed. SA Tackett observed suspected bloodstains on Officer Grubb's pants and several cuts to his arms. It was reported that Officer Grubb used a flashlight to break Young's vehicle window to provide aid after the shooting, and he sustained cuts during these efforts. Officer Grubb also advised he was physically struck by Young driving her vehicle and had sustained minor injuries to both legs.



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Images 1 & 2. Injuries sustained to Officer Grubb's right knee area

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Images 3 & 4. Injuries to Officer Grubb's left shin area, just below the knee

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It was reported that Officer Grubb fired his duty pistol during the incident. His Glock 17, 9mm pistol, with serial number was found loaded with one cartridge in the chamber and 16 cartridges in the magazine. The magazine had a capacity of 17. The weapon mounted flashlight was not used during the incident and was released back to Officer Grubb, along with two full pistol magazines. The pistol, one magazine, and 17 total cartridges were collected as item 1. The gun was removed from Officer Grubb's duty belt prior to SA Tackett's arrival at BTPD, and was not photographed on his person.

Sergeant Erick Moynihan was wearing a black polo with department patches and sergeant chevrons on the sleeves, green tactical pants, and an external ballistic vest that read "police" on the front right of the vest and across the back in yellow lettering. His vest also had a badge, name tag, and body camera mount, in addition to duty gear attached to the front. Suspected bloodstains were observed on the front of the vest/gear and also on his pants. Sergeant Moynihan's duty pistol, a Glock 17 (S/N: West reportedly not fired during the incident and found to be fully loaded.

SA Tackett cleared from the BTPD office at 2353 hours. Evidence item 1 was released to SA Austin at 0228 hours on August 25, 2023.