



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



2025-2243

Officer Involved Critical Incident - 3013 Mohawk Street,
Middletown, Ohio 45044 (L)

Investigative Activity: Documentation of Involved Officers
Involves: Middletown Police Department
Activity Date: 07/13/2025
Activity Location: Middletown Police Department -
1 Donham Plaza, Middletown, OH 45045 (Scene #2)
Authoring Agent: Crime Scene Technician Amy Cruey #203

On July 13, 2025, as part of an ongoing investigation into an Officer Involved Critical Incident (OICI), see Ohio Bureau of Criminal Investigation (BCI) Special Agent (SA) Dave Hammond's report (*Crime Scene Investigation*), it was requested that Crime Scene Technician (CST) Amy Cruey respond to the Middletown Police Department (MPD) to document the involved and witnessing officers. CST Cruey was informed that [REDACTED] [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] [REDACTED] had discharged their firearms during the OICI. It was also relayed that eight additional officers had been on scene during the incident.

CST Cruey arrived at the police department (Scene #2) at approximately 1855 hours. Upon her arrival, she was informed that both officers had blood on their uniforms from rendering aid and securing the subject following the incident and had removed their uniforms. Both had been photographed by members of the MPD prior to doing so. CST Cruey was provided with [REDACTED] duty rifle, which had reportedly been used during the incident. It was described as a HM Defense HM15F 5.56 caliber rifle (S/N: [REDACTED]) with an attached Surefire flashlight and EOTECH optic. It contained one cartridge in the chamber and 16 cartridges in the seated magazine. The firearm, magazine, and cartridges were collected together as Item #1.

CST Cruey was informed that [REDACTED] duty rifle had been rendered safe on scene prior to being brought back to the police department and that the location of any cartridge that may have been in the chamber was unknown. The rifle was described as a Daniel Defense DDM4 5.56 caliber rifle (S/N: [REDACTED]) with an attached EOTECH optic. CST Cruey was also provided with [REDACTED] magazine, which contained 23 cartridges. The firearm, magazine, and cartridges were collected together as Item #2.

The following additional witnessing officers were all photographed, along with their agency issued firearms. All officers were dressed in their agency issued uniforms which bore their badge, nametag, and agency patches on the sleeves.

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Officer Name	Badge #
Officer Ryun Rawlins	#627
Officer Jamie Patterson	#641
Officer Ryan Kessler	#601
Officer Jordan Griffin	#677
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]
Officer Trent Oldham	#684
Officer John Harris	#683
Sergeant Jason Wargo	#478

While on scene, CST Cruvey met with BCI SA Kenny Smith, who had collected a gunshot residue (GSR) kit from Tim McKneely, who had reportedly been present on scene during events that led up to the OICI. The GSR kit was collected as Item #3.

CST Cruvey cleared the police department at approximately 2000 hours and proceeded to Scene #1. At 0048 hours on July 14, 2025, she received all evidence collected from Scene #1 from SA Hammond for transport to the BCI Main Office in London, Ohio. At 0213 hours, CST Cruvey secured all items of evidence from Scenes #1 and #2 in the Crime Scene Unit Temporary Evidence Locker.

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