



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



2023-2232

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

Investigative Activity: Interview with Officer
Involves: Officer Connor Mulvey (W)
Date of Activity: 09/13/2023
Author: SA David Hornyak, #112

Narrative:

On September 13, 2023 at approximately 2141 hours, Ohio Bureau of Criminal Investigation Special Agent Dave Hornyak conducted a telephone interview with Officer Connor Mulvey of the Clinton Twp. Police Department (CTPD) who was involved in the response to the Officer-Involved Critical Incident that occurred in Blendon Twp. on August 24, 2023.

The interview was recorded on a handheld digital recording device. This report is a summary only. The entire interview can be reviewed on the recording. Ofc. Mulvey stated that he was voluntarily participating in the interview and then provided the following information:

On August 24, 2023, he responded to shots fired call on radio and arrived at the scene in Blendon Twp. approximately 6–7 minutes later. Upon arrival, he observed multiple officers providing CPR on a Black female whom, from the radio call, he presumed had been shot.

Ofc. Mulvey set up a perimeter with CTPD Sgt. (Robert) Reeves and also started a crime scene log. At the scene he encountered a female witness who said she may have recorded the incident on her phone, but was unsure. After she refused to give her name, date of birth, or phone number, Ofc. Mulvey wrote down the license plate of the vehicle she was driving and gave it to Sgt. Moynihan of Blendon Twp. PD. The female had stated that she was driving her husband's vehicle. Ofc. Mulvey stated he believed, but was uncertain, that the witness was a White female and he estimated her to be 30–40 years of age.

Ofc. Mulvey left the scene approximately 30–45 minutes after arriving. He believes he passed the crime scene log to a Franklin Co. deputy before departing.

Ofc. Mulvey had nothing further to add and the interview was terminated at approximately 2149 hours.

Agent's Note: An incident report completed by Officer Mulvey was provided to BCI after the interview and is attached to this report.

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Approved By SA James A. Mulford on
10/09/2023

References:

BWC and Cruiser Cam Recordings

Attachments:

Attachment # 01: Off. Connor Mulvey 9-13-23

Attachment # 02: Mulvey 5991 sunbury

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OFFICER SUMMARY

03-23-001108

Clinton Township Police Department

3820 Cleveland Ave, Columbus, OH 43224 614-471-5720

Title

Shooting - Unidentified Suspect (S)

Report Date

08/25/2023

Report By

Connor Mulvey 65

Opened

Aug 25, 2023

On August 24, 2023, while on patrol, FCSO Communications toned out an officer in trouble, after a Blendon Township officer aired that there were shots fired. I responded along with Sgt. R. Reeves, along with the Franklin County Sheriff's Office, Columbus Police, Westerville Police, Minerva Park, and Mifflin Township Police.

Upon my arrival, I was directed by Sgt. Reeves to block an entrance into the shopping plaza. I went to assist with putting crime scene tape up, and I saw the suspect laying on the ground while multiple officers from agencies administered first aid. While I was assisting Sgt. Reeves with the crime scene tape he asked if anyone witnessed the incident.

A female rose her hand and stated that she saw the whole thing, and that she might have recorded it, but was unsure. I asked this female to come back to my cruiser and wait with me so she could be interviewed by detectives or BCI.

The female refused to give me her name, date of birth, or a phone number. This went on for several minutes where she was refusing to cooperate or give officers her information. After talking to a few other officers on scene, we wrote down her license plate on the vehicle, and let her go.

After that, I was instructed by Sgt. Reeves to start a crime scene log for all responding officers. Myself and Sgt. Reeves eventually cleared the scene about 45 minutes after arriving to respond to a call for service inside our township.

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