



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



2022-1354  
Officer Involved Critical Incident – 135 Old National Rd, Lore City  
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Involves: Major [REDACTED] (S), Sergeant [REDACTED] (S)  
Date of Activity: 06/24/2022  
Author: SA James Poole

**Narrative:**

On August 15, 2022, Ohio Bureau of Criminal Investigation (BCI) Special Agent James Poole (SA Poole) received an email from Ohio Peace Officer Training Commission (OPOTC) Certification Specialist Brittany Thompson-Brashers (Specialist Brashers), regarding the OPOTA certification status of Guernsey County Sheriff's (GCSO) Major [REDACTED] (Major [REDACTED] and Sergeant [REDACTED] (Sergeant [REDACTED] Specialist Brashers advised both Major [REDACTED] and Sergeant [REDACTED] have a valid OPOTA certificate. The training history report, advanced training, basic training, and OPOTA online training was saved electronically within the case file and is attached to this report.

**Attachments:**

- Attachment # 01: [REDACTED] work history
- Attachment # 02: [REDACTED] training determination
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**Work History -** [REDACTED]

Officer Name	Agency Name	Start Date	Emp. Source	End Date	Emp. Source2	Emp. Status
[REDACTED]	Guernsey County Sheriff's Office	4/23/2014	Appointment			Full-time

**Non Law**

No

**- Determinations**

<b>Agency - Determination Date</b>	<b>Required</b>	<b>Due Date</b>	<b>Completion Date</b>
Guernsey County Sheriff's Office - 05/08/2015	CPT- Continuing Professional Training	12/31/2014	12/31/2014
Guernsey County Sheriff's Office - 04/06/2016	CPT- Continuing Professional Training	12/31/2015	12/31/2015
Guernsey County Sheriff's Office - 12/31/2016	CPT- Continuing Professional Training	12/31/2016	12/31/2016
Guernsey County Sheriff's Office - 12/31/2017	CPT- Continuing Professional Training	12/31/2017	12/31/2017
Guernsey County Sheriff's Office - 01/01/2017	Companion Animal Encounters	12/31/2018	4/13/2017

**- OPOTA Online Courses**

<b>Date Completed</b>	<b>Course Title</b>	<b>Date Enrolled</b>
4/22/2020	Establish a Multidisciplinary Threat Assessment Team	4/22/2020
1/21/2022	BCI Lethal Use of Force and OIS Investigations	1/21/2022
7/5/2022	Biological Evidence Collection for Sexual Assaults	7/5/2022
8/12/2022	CAT and Officer Wellness	8/12/2022
1/21/2022	Child Abuse and Neglect	1/21/2022
7/5/2022	Communication Disabilities	7/5/2022
3/16/2022	Community Diversity and Procedural Justice	3/15/2022
1/24/2022	Companion Animal Encounters	1/21/2022
7/5/2022	Concealed Firearm Carry Changes	7/5/2022
4/23/2020	Conclusion - Ohio School Threat Assessment Training	4/22/2020
4/23/2020	Conduct Training for All Stakeholders	4/22/2020
4/22/2020	Create a Central Reporting Mechanism	4/22/2020
4/22/2020	Create and Promote Safe School Climates	4/22/2020
1/20/2022	Crisis Intervention	1/20/2022
7/15/2022	Critical Thinking in Use of Force Situations	7/15/2022
3/14/2022	Custodial Interrogation	3/14/2022
4/22/2020	Define Prohibited and Concerning Behaviors	4/22/2020
4/22/2020	Determine the Threshold for Law Enforcement Intervention	4/22/2020
4/22/2020	Develop Risk Management Options	4/22/2020
1/19/2022	Domestic Violence Legal Updates	1/18/2022
8/11/2022	Effective Communication and Safe Interaction with Persons in Crisis	8/11/2022
4/22/2020	Establish Assessment Procedures	4/22/2020
1/20/2022	Ethics and Professionalism	1/19/2022
4/23/2020	Guide to the Ohio School Vulnerability Assessment	4/22/2020
2/3/2022	Hate Crimes	2/3/2022
1/19/2022	Hazing	1/19/2022
1/25/2022	Human Trafficking	1/24/2022
4/22/2020	Introduction - Ohio School Threat Assessment Training	4/22/2020
2/3/2022	Medical Marijuana	2/3/2022
8/11/2022	Mental Health Response	8/11/2022
1/26/2022	Missing Children Investigation	1/25/2022
1/26/2022	Missing Persons	1/26/2022
1/19/2022	New and Updated Criminal Charges	1/19/2022
7/18/2022	Objective Reasonableness	7/18/2022
1/21/2022	Officer Wellness Seminar	1/20/2022
2/4/2022	Ohio Forfeiture Laws	2/4/2022
1/19/2022	Ohio Public Records Law	1/19/2022
7/12/2022	Qualified Immunity	7/12/2022
3/18/2022	Responding to Sexual Assault	3/18/2022
2/3/2022	Response to Mass Violence and Mass Protest Seminar	2/3/2022
2/3/2022	Sexual Assault Investigations	2/3/2022
2/3/2022	Trauma and the Brain	2/3/2022
1/21/2022	Use of Deadly Force and Legal Guidelines	1/21/2022
1/20/2022	Use of Restraints	1/19/2022
1/20/2022	Vicarious Trauma	1/20/2022

**- Basic Training**

School Number	Facility Name	From Date	To Date	Exam Date	Certificate Number	Certificate Date	Agency Name	Appointment Date
BAS13-072	Zane State College	8/19/2013	3/29/2014	4/23/2014	140463	4/23/2014	Guernsey County Sheriff's Office	7/11/2013

**- Advanced Training**

Officer	Course	Title	From Date	To Date
	01-004-15-04	First Line Supervision	12/14/2015	12/17/2015
	01-050-16-01	Internal Investigations	4/28/2016	4/29/2016
	01-137-14-03	Cyber Crime First Responder	10/6/2014	10/6/2014
	01-516-16-01	Best Practices for Officer Involved Shooting	5/19/2016	5/19/2016
	02-998-16-01	Policing in the 21st Century: Use of Force and De-Esc	1/1/2016	12/13/2016
	02-999-16-01	Policing in the 21st Century: Community Policing Rel:	1/1/2016	12/13/2016
	03-183-14-03	Core Criminal Investigation	11/17/2014	11/21/2014
	03-713-19-01	Shooting Incident Reconstruction	7/15/2019	7/19/2019
	05-311-22-01	SWAT Operator	4/18/2022	4/22/2022
	05-568-17-02	Practical Application of Force	4/18/2017	4/18/2017
	06-228-19-02	Evidence Technician	4/1/2019	4/12/2019
	06-710-17-02	Crime Scene Photography II	11/13/2017	11/17/2017
	44-001-17-28	Judgmental Firearms Simulator	9/26/2017	9/28/2017
	44-002-13-14	Judgmental Firearms Simulator	12/17/2013	12/19/2013
	53-130-14-01	Bloodstain Evidence	7/21/2014	7/25/2014
	53-147-14-01	Drug Identification and Field Testing	4/3/2014	4/3/2014
	53-359-14-01	Death Investigation	9/29/2014	10/3/2014
	53-676-14-01	Sexual Assault Investigation	7/14/2014	7/16/2014
	56-709-14-01	Crime Scene Photography I	6/16/2014	6/20/2014
	56-753-17-01	Trauma Informed Policing	2/7/2017	2/7/2017
	66-005-13-14	Judgmental Driving Simulator	12/17/2013	12/19/2013

**[REDACTED] - Work History**

Officer Name	Agency Name	Start Date	Emp. Source	End Date	Emp. Source2	Emp. Status	Non Law
[REDACTED] [REDACTED]	Guernsey County Sheriff's Office	7/22/2005	Appointment	5/1/2013	Termination	Special	No
[REDACTED] [REDACTED]	Byesville Police Department	4/26/2013	Appointment	9/15/2015	Termination	Part-time	No
[REDACTED] [REDACTED]	Guernsey County Sheriff's Office	9/21/2015	Appointment			Full-time	No

**- Determination**

Agency - Determination Date	Required	Due Date	Completion Date
Byesville Police Department - 05/14/2013	No Training Required		
Byesville Police Department - 05/01/2013	Update Returned		
Guernsey County Sheriff's Office - 09/28/2015	No Training Required		
Guernsey County Sheriff's Office - 12/31/2007	CPT- Continuing Professional Training	12/31/2007	12/31/2007
Guernsey County Sheriff's Office - 12/31/2008	CPT- Continuing Professional Training	12/31/2008	12/31/2008
Guernsey County Sheriff's Office - 12/31/2009	CPT- Continuing Professional Training	12/31/2009	12/31/2009
Guernsey County Sheriff's Office - 08/30/2011	CPT- Continuing Professional Training	12/31/2010	12/31/2010
Byesville Police Department - 02/10/2015	CPT- Continuing Professional Training	12/31/2014	12/31/2014
Byesville Police Department - 06/23/2016	CPT- Continuing Professional Training	12/31/2015	1/7/2016
Guernsey County Sheriff's Office - 12/31/2016	CPT- Continuing Professional Training	12/31/2016	12/31/2016
Guernsey County Sheriff's Office - 12/31/2017	CPT- Continuing Professional Training	12/31/2017	12/31/2017
Guernsey County Sheriff's Office - 09/28/2015	Human Trafficking	12/31/2018	10/28/2012
Guernsey County Sheriff's Office - 01/01/2017	Missing Persons	12/31/2018	4/13/2017
Guernsey County Sheriff's Office - 01/01/2017	Companion Animal Encounters	12/31/2018	4/13/2017

**- OPOTA Online Courses**

<b>Date Completed</b>	<b>Course Title</b>	<b>Date Enrolled</b>
1/20/2017	01 Blue Courage Foundations	1/20/2017
1/23/2017	02 Blue Courage The Nobility of Policing	1/23/2017
2/9/2017	03 Blue Courage Positive Psychology	2/9/2017
2/9/2017	04 Blue Courage Health and Wellness	2/9/2017
11/13/2019	04 Blue Courage Health and Wellness	11/12/2019
2/9/2017	2017 Legal Update: Civil Liability for Officers	2/9/2017
7/20/2017	2017 Legal Update: Domestic Violence Refresher	7/20/2017
7/20/2017	2017 Legal Update: Issues in Interrogations and Confessions	7/20/2017
2/10/2017	2017 Legal Update: Search and Seizure Law	2/10/2017
11/12/2019	2017 Legal Update: Domestic Violence Refresher	11/12/2019
12/22/2014	Automobile Inventory	12/22/2014
11/22/2008	Automobile Searches	11/22/2008
12/5/2018	Awareness of Cultural Diversity	12/5/2018
12/5/2018	Awareness of Cultural Diversity	12/5/2018
12/5/2018	Awareness of Cultural Diversity	12/5/2018
12/5/2018	Awareness of Cultural Diversity	12/5/2018
12/27/2016	Awareness of Human Trafficking	12/27/2016
2/22/2022	BCI Lethal Use of Force and OIS Investigations	2/22/2022
8/11/2022	Biological Evidence Collection for Sexual Assaults	8/11/2022
11/22/2008	Bridging the Gap	11/22/2008
11/15/2018	Career Survival: Overall Job Preparedness	11/15/2018
11/15/2018	Career Survival: Overall Job Preparedness	11/15/2018
11/15/2018	Career Survival: Overall Job Preparedness	11/15/2018
11/15/2018	Career Survival: Overall Job Preparedness	11/15/2018
8/13/2022	CAT and Officer Wellness	8/12/2022
12/13/2016	Companion Animal Encounters	12/13/2016
8/10/2022	Concealed Firearm Carry Changes	5/18/2022
12/22/2014	Consent to Search Part 1	12/22/2014
11/27/2008	Consent to Search Part 2	11/27/2008
12/22/2014	Credit Card Fraud	12/22/2014
12/27/2018	Crime Scene Investigation	12/27/2018
12/27/2018	Crime Scene Investigation	12/27/2018
12/27/2018	Crime Scene Investigation	12/27/2018
12/27/2018	Crime Scene Investigation	12/27/2018
12/22/2014	Crime Victim's Rights Introduction	12/22/2014
2/22/2022	Crisis Intervention	2/22/2022
8/12/2022	Critical Thinking in Use of Force Situations	8/12/2022
8/10/2022	Custodial Interrogation	8/10/2022
11/22/2008	Death Notification	11/22/2008
12/26/2016	Disability Training for First Responders	12/26/2016
2/14/2022	Domestic Violence Legal Updates	2/9/2022
12/30/2015	Domestic Violence Legal Updates: Ohio Domestic Violence Laws	12/30/2015
12/23/2014	Ethics and Professionalism	12/23/2014
11/15/2018	Ethics and Professionalism	11/15/2018
11/15/2018	Ethics and Professionalism	11/15/2018

11/15/2018	Ethics and Professionalism	11/15/2018
11/15/2018	Ethics and Professionalism	11/15/2018
2/14/2022	Ethics and Professionalism	2/2/2022
12/23/2014	Finding Words	12/23/2014
2/14/2022	Hate Crimes	2/14/2022
2/14/2022	Hazing	2/14/2022
12/27/2016	Human Trafficking 2016 Update	12/27/2016
12/30/2015	Kehoe Brothers Shootout	12/30/2015
2/14/2022	Medical Marijuana	2/14/2022
4/6/2017	Missing Persons	4/6/2017
2/21/2022	New and Updated Criminal Charges	2/14/2022
8/12/2022	Objective Reasonableness	8/12/2022
8/11/2022	Officer Wellness Seminar	8/11/2022
2/21/2022	Ohio Forfeiture Laws	2/14/2022
2/21/2022	Ohio Public Records Law	2/14/2022
7/22/2011	Operating a Vehicle Impaired (OVI) Statutory Review	7/22/2011
12/27/2016	Procedural Justice and Police Legitimacy	12/27/2016
8/10/2022	Qualified Immunity	8/10/2022
10/28/2012	Responding to Human Trafficking	10/28/2012
8/11/2022	Responding to Sexual Assault	8/10/2022
2/27/2022	Response to Mass Violence and Mass Protest Seminar	2/26/2022
7/22/2011	SB 77's Effect on Investigative Procedures	7/22/2011
2/23/2022	Sexual Assault Investigations	2/23/2022
11/15/2018	Street Smart Series: Concealment	11/15/2018
11/15/2018	Street Smart Series: Concealment	11/15/2018
11/15/2018	Street Smart Series: Concealment	11/15/2018
11/15/2018	Street Smart Series: Concealment	11/15/2018
12/30/2015	The Timothy McVeigh Stop	12/30/2015
2/26/2022	Trauma and the Brain	2/23/2022
2/22/2022	Use of Deadly Force and Legal Guidelines	2/22/2022
2/21/2022	Use of Restraints	2/14/2022
8/12/2022	Vicarious Trauma	8/11/2022

**- Basic Training**

School Number	Facility Name	From Date	To Date	Exam Date	Certificate Number	Certificate Date	Agency Name	Appointment Date
BAS04-061	Eastern Ohio Law Enforcement Training Academy	7/19/2004	12/30/2004	1/12/2005	050862	7/22/2005	Guernsey County Sheriff's Office	7/22/2005

**- Advanced Training**

Officer	Course	Title	From Date	To Date
	01-045-18-04	Modern Report Writing	7/24/2018	7/24/2018
	01-045-18-05	Modern Report Writing	10/16/2018	10/16/2018
	03-687-16-04	Testifying in Court	8/29/2016	8/30/2016
	44-001-16-01	Judgmental Firearms Simulator	1/5/2016	1/7/2016
	66-001-16-01	Judgmental Driving Simulator	1/5/2016	1/7/2016