

Ohio Attorney General's Office Bureau of Criminal Investigation

Investigative Report





Investigative Activity: Case Opening

Involves: Jazmir Tucker (S), Ofc. Davon Fields (S)

Activity Date: 11/28/2024

Activity Location: 1055 East Avenue, Akron, Ohio 44307

Authoring Agent: SA Jonathan Lieber

Narrative:

On Thursday, November 28, 2024, at approximately 1145 hours, the Ohio Bureau of Criminal Investigation (BCI) was requested by Chief Brian Harding (Harding) of the Akron Police Department (APD) to conduct an independent investigation of the facts and circumstances surrounding an officer-involved critical incident which occurred in the area of 1055 East Avenue, Akron, Ohio 44307. BCI Special Agent (SA) Jon Lieber (Lieber) responded to assist, arriving at approximately 0047 hours. Also responding from the BCI Special Investigations Unit were Special Agents Andy Harasimchuk and Allison Fletcher. Additionally, the BCI Crime Scene Unit was requested to process the scene by documenting and collecting pertinent evidence.

The shooting incident involved a subject, Jazmir Tucker (Tucker), and members of the Akron Police Department. The incident resulted in the death of Tucker.

After the initial request for assistance on November 28, 2024, Chief Harding provided a formal written request for assistance which was dated December 2, 2024. A copy of the request for assistance letter is attached to this investigative report.

References:

None

Attachments:

1. BCI Request Letter



AKRON POLICE DEPARTMENT

Harold K. Stubbs Justice Center 217 South High Street Akron, Ohio 44308-1682

Brian J. Harding, Chief of Police

December 2, 2024

To Whom It May Concern:

I am writing this letter to request that the Bureau of Criminal Investigation (BCI) of the State of Ohio, investigate an officer-involved critical incident, involving an on-duty Akron Police Officer that occurred on Thursday, November 28, 2024, in front of 1055 East Ave., Akron, Ohio 44307.

Respectfully submitted,

Chief Brian-Harding

Akron Police Department

217 South High Street, Akron, Ohio 44308.