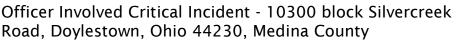


Ohio Attorney General's Office Bureau of Criminal Investigation

Investigative Report

2024-3052





Investigative Activity: Grand Jury presentation and case closing

Involves: (S),

Activity Date: 03/25/2025

Activity Location: Medina County Court of Common Pleas

Authoring Agent: SA Jonathan Lieber

Narrative:

On Tuesday, March 25, 2025, the investigation regarding the officer-involved critical incident that occurred in the 10300 block of Silvercreek Road, Doylestown, Medina County, Ohio 44230 on October 5, 2024, was presented to a Grand Jury in the Medina County Court of Common Pleas by the Medina County Prosecutor's Office. The Grand Jury declined to file criminal charges regarding the actions of Medina County Sheriff's Office (MCSO) Deputies in relation to the death of David Septer.

On April 4, 2025, all evidence in this case was returned to the requesting agency. A signed evidence receipt has been attached to this report.

The documents received from the Medina County Prosecutor's Office are attached to this report. Please refer to those documents for further information.

This case is closed.

References:

None

Attachments:

- 1. 2025-03-27 Email from Medina Prosecutor
- 2. 2025-03-27 Email authorizing the release of evidence
- 3. Evidence to Medina County Sheriff's Office Det. Rodney Rees

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Jonathan Lieber

From: Forrest Thompson <fthompson@medinacounty.gov>

Sent: Thursday, March 27, 2025 2:59 PM

To: Jonathan Lieber

Subject: RE: BCI case 2024-3052

Confirming the outcome of grand jury held on 3/25/25 in matter 2024-3052. Unanimous vote of reasonable use of force by law enforcement.

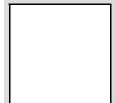
I am authorizing the release of the redacted record of these proceedings by the AG office.

From: Jonathan Lieber < Jonathan. Lieber @Ohio AGO.gov>

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Prosecutor,

Could you please confirm the Grand Jury outcome resulting from the presentation of BCI case 2024-3052 today?

Also, could you confirm that you are ok with BCI placing a redacted copy of the case file on the Attorney General's website?

Lastly, please confirm that BCI may release the physical evidence and case file copy to the Medina County Sheriff's Office.

Thank you,

Jon Lieber Special Agent

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EVIDENCE RECEIPT



Ohio Attorney General's Office Bureau of Criminal Investigation

Case Number 2024-3052

Case Title Officer Involved Critical Incident - 10300 block Silvercreek 4/4/2025 10:05 AM Road, Doylestown, Ohio 44230, Medina County

Transfer Date

RELEASED FROM

Releasing Agency Ohio Attorney General's Office Bureau of Criminal Investigation

Case Number 2024-3052

Released By **Betsy Turney**

RECEIVED BY

Receiving Agency Medina County Sheriff's Office

Case Number Not Entered

Received By Det. Rodney Rees

RELEASE REASON

Printed: 4/4/2025 10:07:22 AM

Returned to Agency

EVIDENCE

001 - Fired cartridge casing (Crime Scene #001) Winchester 9mm Luger recovered from Roadway (Southbound lane) - P00020-1040696, 001 (Weapon) in Envelope C00020-1023314

002 - Fired cartridge casing (Crime Scene #002) Winchester 9mm Luger -P00020-1040697, 002 (Weapon) in Envelope C00020-1023313

003 - Fired cartridge casing (Crime Scene 003 Winchester 9mm Luger - P00020 -1040698, 003 (Weapon) in Envelope C00020-1023312

004 - Fired cartridge casing (Crime Scene 004) Winchester 9mm Luger -P00020-1040699, 004 (Weapon) in Envelope C00020-1023311

005 - Fired cartridge casing (Crime Scene 005) Winchester 9mm Luger -P00020-1040700, 005 (Weapon) in Envelope C00020-1023310

006 - Fired cartridge casing (Crime Scene E006) Winchester 9mm Luger -P00020-1040701, 006 (Weapon) in Envelope C00020-1023309

007 - Fired cartridge casing (Crime Scene 007) Winchester 9mm Luger -P00020-1040702, 007 (Weapon) in Envelope C00020-1023308

008 - Fired cartridge casing (Crime Scene 008) Winchester 9mm Luger -P00020-1040703, 008 (Weapon) in Envelope C00020-1023307

009 - Fired cartridge casing (Crime Scene 009) Winchester 9mm Luger -P00020-1040704, 009 (Weapon) in Envelope C00020-1023306

010 - Fired cartridge casing (Crime Scene 010) Winchester 9mm Luger -P00020-1040705, 010 (Weapon) in Envelope C00020-1023305

011 - Fired cartridge casing (Crime Scene 011) Winchester 9mm Luger -P00020-1040706, 011 (Weapon) in Envelope C00020-1023304

012 - Fired cartridge casing (Crime Scene 012) Winchester 9mm Luger -P00020-1040707, 012 (Weapon) in Envelope C00020-1023303

013 - Fired cartridge casing (Crime Scene 013) Winchester 9mm Luger -P00020-1040708, 013 (Weapon) in Envelope C00020-1023302

014 - Fired cartridge casing (Crime Scene 014) Winchester 9mm Luger -P00020-1040709, 014 (Weapon) in Envelope C00020-1023301

015 - Fired cartridge casing (Crime Scene 016) Winchester 9mm Luger -P00020-1040710, 015 (Weapon) in Envelope C00020-1023300

016 - Fired cartridge casing (Crime Scene 017) Winchester 9mm Luger -P00020-1040711, 016 (Weapon) in Envelope C00020-1023299

- 017 Fired cartridge casing (Crime Scene 018) Winchester 9mm Luger P00020-1040712, 017 (Weapon) in Envelope C00020-1023298
- 018 Fired cartridge casing (Crime Scene 019) Winchester 9mm Luger P00020-1040713, 018 (Weapon) in Envelope C00020-1023297
- 019 Firearm (Crime Scene 020) Rifle 7.62 x 39 mm. AK-style with magazine ammunition recovered from roadway P00020-1040714, 019 (Weapon) in Cardboard Box C00020-1023296
- 020 Fired projectile (Crime Scene 21) recovered from suspect's clothing P00020-1040715, 020 (Weapon) in Envelope C00020-1023295
- 021 Semi Auto Pistol Glock 45 P00020-1040716, 021 (Weapon) in Cardboard Box C00020-1023294
- 022 Firearm (Crime Scene 023) Semi Auto Pistol Glock 45 P00020-1040717, 022 (Weapon) in Cardboard Box C00020-1023293
- 023 Letter to "Heather" (Crime Scene 24) P00020-1040726, 023 (Documents and Files) in Envelope C00020-1023324
- 024 Court documents for David Septer (Crime Scene 25) P00020-1040727,
- 024 (Documents and Files) in Envelope C00020-1023323
- 025 Various ammunition (Crime Scene 26) P00020-1040728, 025 *(Weapon) in Brown Paper Bag C00020-1023322*
- 026 Various ammunition (Crime Scene 27) P00020-1040729, 026 (Weapon) in Envelope C00020-1023321
- 027 wallet (Crime Scene 28) containing \$284.00 U.S. Currency, David Septer ID, misc. credit and reward cards P00020-1040730, 027 *(Financial Property) in Envelope C00020-1023320*
- 028 Unknown powder (Crime Scene 29) P00020-1040731, 028 (*Drug*) in Clear Evidence Bag C00020-1023319
- 029 court documents for David Septer (Crime Scene 30) P00020-1040732, 029 (Documents and Files) in Envelope C00020-1023318
- 031 Swab of suspected blood (Crime Scene A) from stain A from driver's side door jam P00020-1040734, 031 (Biological Evidence) in Envelope C00020-
- 1023316 032 - Mobile Phone - Black Apple iPhone 14 A2649 - P00020-1040745, 032 (Device) in Envelope C00020-1023330
 - Cellebrite Premium Deployed, Cellebrite Premium Extraction
- 033 Various swabs and sample from autopsy of David Septer P00020-1041117, 033 (Biological Evidence) in Envelope C00020-1023663
- 034 T-shirt of David Septer P00020-1041118, 034 (*Personal Property*) in *Brown Paper Bag C00020-1023662*
- 035 tank top P00020-1041119, 035 (Personal Property) in Brown Paper Bag C00020-1023661
- 036 shorts and belt P00020-1041120, 036 (Personal Property) in Brown Paper Bag C00020-1023660
- 037 underwear P00020-1041121, 037 (Personal Property) in Brown Paper Bag C00020-1023659
- 038 sock P00020-1041122, 038 (Personal Property) in Brown Paper Bag C00020-1023658
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- 040 shoe P00020-1041124, 040 (Personal Property) in Brown Paper Bag C00020-1023656
- 041 shoe P00020-1041125, 041 (Personal Property) in Brown Paper Bag C00020-1023655
- 042 Blood stain card of David Septer P00020-1041126, 042 (Biological Evidence) in Envelope C00020-1023654
- 043 projectile fragment from left hip P00020-1041127, 043 *(Weapon) in Envelope C00020-1023653*
- 044 projectile from right hemidiaphragm P00020-1041128, 044 *(Weapon) in Envelope C00020-1023652*

045 - projectile from right elbow - P00020-1041129, 045 (Weapon) in Envelope C00020-1023651

046 - projectile from the right lung - P00020-1041130, 046 *(Weapon) in Envelope C00020-1023650*

047 - projectile from right hand - P00020-1041131, 047 *(Weapon) in Envelope C00020-1023649*

048 - DNA swabs from Matrix Item 19 - P00020-1041475, 048 (Biological Evidence) in Clear Evidence Bag C00020-1023923

30 - fired projectile (Crime Scene 31) - P00020-1040733, 30 *(Weapon) in Envelope C00020-1023317*

PACKAGING

Brown Paper Bag C00020-1023655 - Sealed - 041 shoe

Brown Paper Bag C00020-1023659 - Sealed - 037 underwear

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SIGNATURES

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Released From Betsy Turney	Date	Received By Det. Rodney Rees	Date