



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



2026-2005

Officer Involved Critical Incident - 905 Brady Ave.,
Steubenville, OH 43952, Jefferson County

Investigative Activity: Lab Submission
Involves: Matthew Metzger (S)
Activity Date: 06/09/2026
Activity Location: BCI - Richfield
Authoring Agent: SA Joseph Goudy

Narrative:

On Tuesday, June 09, 2026, at 1224 hours, Ohio Bureau of Criminal Investigation (BCI) Special Agent (SA) Joseph Goudy (SA Goudy) submitted 25 evidence items to the BCI laboratory in Richfield. This was the first submission for this case under BCI laboratory number 26-34415.

- Lab items 1 - 10 (Matrix items 001 - 010) Fired .223 cartridge casings
- Lab items 11 - 13 (Matrix items 016, 018, 019) Fired 9mm cartridge casings
- Lab item 14 (Matrix item 026) Century Arms – 9mm handgun
- Lab item 15 & 16 (Matrix item 027 & 028) Fired .223 cartridge casings
- Lab item 17 (Matrix item 032) DPMS A-15 Rifle
- Lab item 18 (Matrix item 033) Mossberg 20-gauge shotgun
- Lab item 19 (Matrix item 034) Bergara BSR .22 rifle
- Lab item 20 (Matrix item 037) Fired 9mm cartridge casing
- Lab item 21 (Matrix item 038) Troy Industries 5.56x45 rifle
- Lab item 22 (Matrix item 039) Troy Industries 5.56x45 rifle
- Lab item 23 (Matrix item 051) Two bullet jacket fragments from clothing
- Lab items 24 & 25 (Matrix items 055 & 056) Two projectiles removed during autopsy

The analysis requested was to determine if the two patrol rifles used by the Steubenville police officers fired the recovered projectiles and the 5.56 cartridge casings collected at the scene. Additionally, an analysis was requested to determine if the handgun possessed by Metzger fired the 9mm cartridge casings collected at the scene. Operability testing was requested for each submitted firearm, and NIBIN entries were requested for all the firearms except for the officers' weapons.

For further information, please refer to the attached evidence submission receipt.

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References:

None

Attachments:

1. Evidence to BCI Laboratory

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Laboratory Evidence Submission				Date/Time Received: 06/09/2026 12:24 pm Tuesday				BCI Case Number: 26-34415			
Received By: Kylie Manko Receiving Lab: BCI Richfield				Agency Case Number: 2026-2005							
New Case ☒		ADD'L (If checked, provide BCI Case No)									
Case Type: Shooting Involving an Officer		Date of Offense: 05/24/2026		Location of Offense: 905 Brady Avenue, steubenville, Ohio				County of Submitting Agency: Jefferson County			
Subject(s): (First, MI, Last Name)		In Custody	Charged	Trial Date	Grand Jury	Arrest #	BCI #	Sex	DOB		
Victim(s): (First, MI, Last Name)						State ID #	BCI #	Sex	DOB		
Submitting Agency Name/ORI: Ohio Attorney General's Office OHBCI0000					Investigating Officer Name: Joseph Goudy						
					Investigating Officer Phone: (234) 400-3396						
					Investigating Officer Email: joseph.goudy@ohioago.gov						
Mailing Address: 30 E. Broad Street Columbus, OH 43215					Submitting Officer: Joseph Goudy 						
					BCI Crime Scene Agent: Bernard Doran			Crime Scene Case No: 2026-2005			

Test item submission establishes an agreement for testing between the submitting customer and the BCI laboratory. The laboratory employs standardized methods to fulfill customer test requests. Specific method selection, application and sequence are at the discretion of the laboratory, unless otherwise directed by the customer. Investigative information obtained as a result of the laboratory testing may be disseminated to other law enforcement agencies for the administration of justice. The BCI laboratory may subcontract testing to meet operational needs. Subcontracted work will be performed by a competent subcontractor and that work will be clearly identified to the customer.

Prior to the commencement of work, please review the submission receipt to ensure the items submitted and laboratory testing requested are correct. Signature signifies acceptance of the agreement specified above and accuracy of the submission receipt to the best of the signatory's knowledge.

Completed Laboratory reports, Notarized Statements, and Statements of Qualification are available for download from the OHLEG portal (www.OHLEG.org).

Services Requested

Lab Item #	Dept. Item #	Description (Packaging Description, Item Type - Described as)	Chemistry Qualitative Analysis	Chemistry Quantitative Analysis	Firearms	DNA	GSR Gunshot Residue	Latent Prints	LINK	NIBIN	Operability	Questioned Document	Trace
1	001	Envelope containing, Firearm Evidence Described as: cartridge case (Matrix Item 001)	☐	☐	☒	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
2	002	Envelope containing, Firearm Evidence Described as: cartridge case (Matrix Item 002)	☐	☐	☒	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
3	003	Envelope containing, Firearm Evidence Described as: cartridge case (Matrix Item 003)	☐	☐	☒	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
4	004	Envelope containing, Firearm Evidence Described as: cartridge case (Matrix Item 004)	☐	☐	☒	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
5	005	Envelope containing, Firearm Evidence Described as: cartridge case (Matrix Item #005)	☐	☐	☒	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
6	006	Envelope containing, Firearm Evidence Described as: cartridge case (Matrix Item 006)	☐	☐	☒	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
7	007	Envelope containing, Firearm Evidence Described as: cartridge case (Matrix Item 007)	☐	☐	☒	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐

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8	008	Envelope containing, Firearm Evidence Described as: cartridge case (Matrix Item 008)	☐	☐	☒	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
9	009	Envelope containing, Firearm Evidence Described as: cartridge case (Matrix Item 009)	☐	☐	☒	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
10	010	Envelope containing, Firearm Evidence Described as: cartridge case (Matrix Item 010)	☐	☐	☒	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
11	016	Envelope containing, Firearm Evidence Described as: cartridge case (Matrix Item 016)	☐	☐	☒	☐	☐	☐	☐	☒	☐	☐	☐
12	018	Envelope containing, Firearm Evidence Described as: cartridge case (Matrix Item 018)	☐	☐	☒	☐	☐	☐	☐	☒	☐	☐	☐
13	019	Envelope containing, Firearm Evidence Described as: cartridge case (Matrix Item 019)	☐	☐	☒	☐	☐	☐	☐	☒	☐	☐	☐
14	026	One cardboard box containing, Firearm Evidence Described as: firearm (Serial #T6472-20BN08631) with cartridge and magazine recovered from scene (Matrix #026)	☐	☐	☒	☒	☐	☐	☐	☒	☒	☐	☐
15	027	Envelope containing, Firearm Evidence Described as: cartridge case (Matrix Item 027)	☐	☐	☒	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
16	028	Envelope containing, Firearm Evidence Described as: cartridge case (Matrix Item 028)	☐	☐	☒	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
17	032	One cardboard box containing, Firearm Evidence Described as: firearm (Serial #FH226321) with cartridge and magazine recovered from vehicle (Matrix Item 032)	☐	☐	☒	☒	☐	☐	☐	☒	☒	☐	☐
18	033	One cardboard box containing, Firearm Evidence Described as: firearm (Serial #R415283) recovered from vehicle (Matrix Item 033)	☐	☐	☒	☒	☐	☐	☐	☒	☒	☐	☐
19	034	One cardboard box containing, Firearm Evidence Described as: firearm (Serial #TA004580) with and magazine recovered from vehicle (Matrix Item 034)	☐	☐	☒	☒	☐	☐	☐	☒	☒	☐	☐
20	037	Envelope containing, Firearm Evidence Described as: cartridge case (Matrix item 037)	☐	☐	☒	☐	☐	☐	☐	☒	☐	☐	☐
21	038	One cardboard box containing, Firearm Evidence Described as: firearm (Serial # [REDACTED]) with magazine and cartridges (Matrix Item 038)	☐	☐	☒	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐

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22	039	One cardboard box containing, Firearm Evidence Described as: firearm (Serial # [REDACTED] with cartridges (Matrix Item 039)	☐	☐	☒	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
23	051	Envelope containing, Firearm Evidence Described as: bullet fragment (Matrix Item 051)	☐	☐	☒	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
24	055	Envelope containing, Firearm Evidence Described as: bullet (Matrix Item 055)	☐	☐	☒	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
25	056	Envelope containing, Firearm Evidence Described as: bullet (Matrix Item 056)	☐	☐	☒	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐