

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



2024-3258

Officer Involved Critical Incident - 1273 Rosedale Drive, Dayton, OH (Montgomery Co.) (L)

Investigative Activity: Autopsy Review

Involves: Taylor Coleman Anthony Cotton (S)

Date of Activity: 10/19/2024

Activity Location: Montgomery County Coroners Office – 361 W Third St, Dayton, OH

45402

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Narrative:

On October 19, 2024, the Dayton Police Department requested assistance from the Ohio Bureau of Criminal Investigation (BCI) at the scene of an Officer-Involved Critical Incident (OICI) located at 1273 Rosedale, Dayton, Ohio. As part of that investigation, Special Agent Perry Roeser (SA Roeser) was requested to attend the post-mortem examination of the decedent, Taylor Cotton (Cotton). The examination was conducted on October 19, 2024, at the Montgomery County Coroner's Office. Dr. Kevin Jenkins conducted the post-mortem examination.

The following observations were made during the autopsy:

SA Roeser requested a copy of the full autopsy and toxicology reports once available.

As a result of the autopsy, the following items of evidence were collected and transferred to the custody of BCI Special Agent Kevin Wagner. See attachment #1

- 1. A sealed envelope containing fingernail scraping, head, and pubic hair
- 2. A sealed envelope containing oral and rectal swabs
- 3. A sealed envelope containing finger and palm prints
- 4. A sealed envelope containing full DNA blood card

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5. A sealed bag with eight (8) projectiles

The items mentioned above were subsequently transported to BCI, London, Ohio, where they were submitted to evidence receiving.

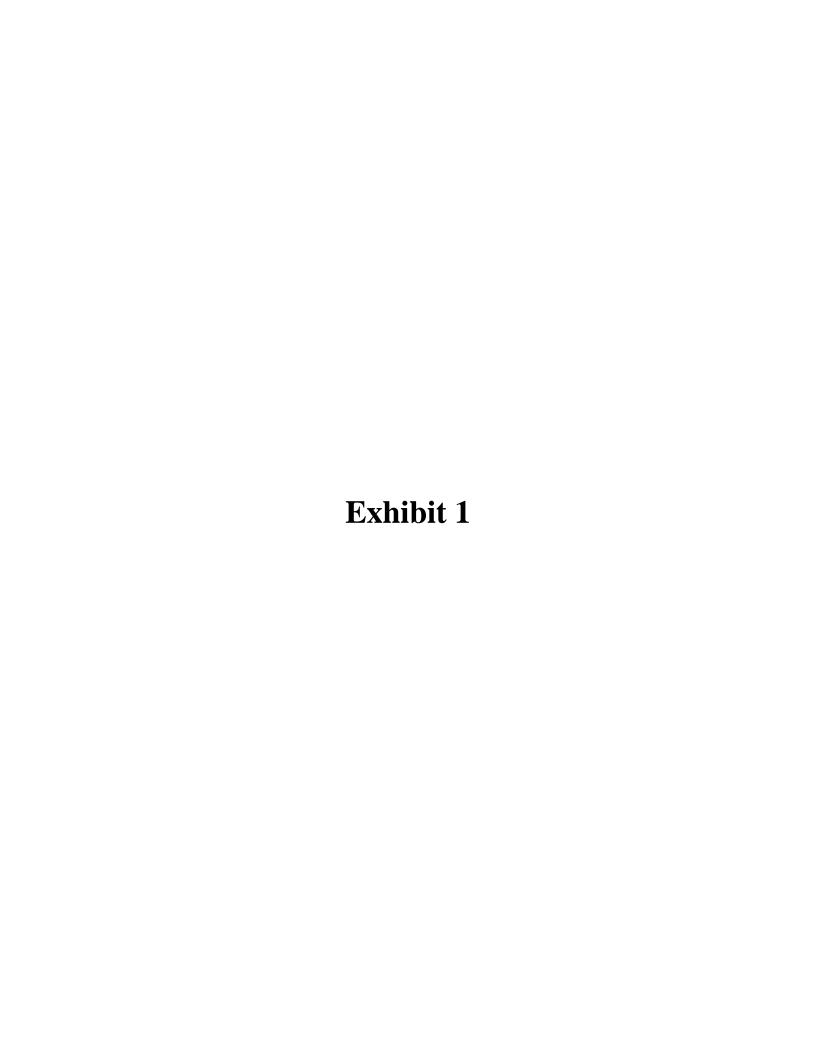
References:

No references.

Attachments:

Attachment # 01: Chain of Custody-Autopsy

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Kent E. Harshbarger, M.D.

Office of the Coroner

MONTGOMERY COUNTY, OHIO

EVIDENCE SHEET

CASE NUMBER EXZU- 4943			NAI	NAME Taylor Colton		
DESCRIPTION OF EVIDENCE 1-Souloid anustape containing Fingernal scapings, Head and public has 1-Souloid envelope containing Deal and Portal Swab 3 1-Souloid envelope containing						
Sull set of Free and polar points, DI-sealed employer contains Full DNA Blood card,						
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SEALED	Ä YES	□NO	,			
MARKED	YES	□ NO				
RECEIVED BY Reny Roeser by Roser					_ AGENCYMCCO	
RECEIVED BY Perry Roesey by Raser					AGENCY BC/	
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RECEIVED FROM Pelly Roesen					AGENCY BLI	
RECEIVED BY 16 Way					AGENCY BUT	
DATE RECEIVED 10/19/2004					TIME RECEIVED 1502	