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Officer Involved Critical Incident - 300 Wood Street Apt. A8, Mansfield,
OH

Investigative Activity: Process Crime Scene / Search Warrant
Activity Date: Friday, July 30th, 2021
Activity Location: 300 Wood Street, Mansfield, Ohio 44903
Authoring Agent: S/A Ed Staley

SUMMARY:

The Mansfield Police Department requested crime scene assistance processing the scene of an Officer Involved Critical Incident (OICI) located at 300 Wood Street, Mansfield, Ohio 44903.

DETAILS:

On Thursday July 29th, 2021 at approximately 1650 hours S/A Ed Staley received a call from S/A Larry Hootman of the Ohio Bureau of Criminal Investigation. The call was regarding an agent request for crime scene assistance concerning an Officer Involved Critical Incident (OICI). On Thursday July 29th, 2021 S/A Staley responded to the address of 300 Wood Street, Mansfield, Ohio 44903 at the request of the Mansfield Police Department.

On scene, S/A Staley met with S/A Eric Lehnart and members of the Mansfield Police Department. S/A Staley was advised that a search warrant was being sought for the apartment #A8. Shortly thereafter S/A Staley was advised the search warrant was signed.

S/A Staley walked through the scene/residence photographing and documenting the interior/exterior as it was found. S/A Staley photographed each scene/room and the condition.

S/A Staley located a Speer 9mm cartridge case on the sidewalk between two of the apartment buildings. S/A Staley photographed the cartridge case as it was found and again utilizing placard #1 for documentation. S/A Staley collected, secured, and preserved the cartridge case as **item #1** on the Inventory / Receipt Attachment form dated 07/30/2021.

S/A Staley located a second Speer 9mm cartridge case on the sidewalk between two of the apartment buildings. S/A Staley photographed the cartridge case as it was found and again utilizing placard #2 for documentation. S/A Staley collected, secured, and preserved the cartridge case as **item #2** on the Inventory / Receipt Attachment form dated 07/30/2021.

S/A Staley located Taser® wires on the sidewalk between two of the apartment buildings. S/A Staley photographed the Taser ® wires as they were found and again utilizing placard

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#3 for documentation. S/A Staley collected, secured, and preserved the Taser ® wires as **item #3** on the Inventory / Receipt Attachment form dated 07/30/2021.

S/A Staley located a white colored pill on the sidewalk below apartment #A8. S/A Staley photographed the pill as it was found and again utilizing placard #4 for documentation. S/A Staley collected, secured, and preserved the white pill as **item #4** on the Inventory / Receipt Attachment form dated 07/30/2021.

S/A Staley continued up the stairway to the second level, S/A Staley located Taser® device and wires attached on the sidewalk apartment #A8. S/A Staley photographed the Taser ® device and wires as they were found and again utilizing placard #5 for documentation. S/A Staley collected, secured, and preserved the Taser ® device and wires as **item #5** on the Inventory / Receipt Attachment form dated 07/30/2021.

Further down the hallway, past apartment #A8, S/A Staley located a copper jacketed bullet. S/A Staley photographed the bullet as it was found and again utilizing placard #6 for documentation. S/A Staley collected, secured, and preserved the bullet as **item #6** on the Inventory / Receipt Attachment form dated 07/30/2021.

Upon entering apartment #A8, S/A Staley located two copper jacketed bullets on the floor inside the front door. S/A Staley photographed the bullets as they were found and again utilizing placards #7 and #8 for documentation. S/A Staley collected, secured, and preserved the bullets as **items #7 and #8** on the Inventory / Receipt Attachment form dated 07/30/2021.

S/A Staley located two Speer cartridge cases on the floor inside the front door. S/A Staley photographed the cartridge cases as they were found and again utilizing placards #9 and #10 for documentation. S/A Staley collected, secured, and preserved the cartridge cases as **items #9 and #10** on the Inventory / Receipt Attachment form dated 07/30/2021.

In front of the sofa, S/A Staley located a red colored cellular phone. S/A Staley photographed the cellular phone as it was found and again utilizing placard #11 for documentation. S/A Staley collected, secured, and preserved the cellular phone as **item #11** on the Inventory / Receipt Attachment form dated 07/30/2021.

On the sofa, S/A Staley located a Speer cartridge case. S/A Staley photographed the cartridge case as it was found and again utilizing placard #12 for documentation. S/A Staley collected, secured, and preserved the cartridge case as **item #12** on the Inventory / Receipt Attachment form dated 07/30/2021.

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S/A Staley located two Speer cartridge cases on the floor near the kitchen side. S/A Staley photographed the cartridge cases as they were found and again utilizing placards #13 and #14 for documentation. S/A Staley collected, secured, and preserved the cartridge cases as **items #13 and #14** on the Inventory / Receipt Attachment form dated 07/30/2021.

S/A Staley located a Speer cartridge case on the kitchen floor. S/A Staley photographed the cartridge case as it was found and again utilizing placard #15 for documentation. S/A Staley collected, secured, and preserved the cartridge case as **item #15** on the Inventory / Receipt Attachment form dated 07/30/2021.

S/A Staley located a Speer cartridge case on the floor near the kitchen side. S/A Staley photographed the cartridge case as it was found and again utilizing placard #16 for documentation. S/A Staley collected, secured, and preserved the cartridge case as **item #16** on the Inventory / Receipt Attachment form dated 07/30/2021.

S/A Staley located a Speer 9mm cartridge case behind the sofa, S/A Staley photographed the cartridge case as it was found and again utilizing placard #17 for documentation. S/A Staley collected, secured, and preserved the cartridge case as **item #17** on the Inventory / Receipt Attachment form dated 07/30/2021.

S/A Staley located a Speer cartridge case on the kitchen floor in front of the stove. S/A Staley photographed the cartridge case as it was found and again utilizing placard #18 for documentation. S/A Staley collected, secured, and preserved the cartridge case as **item #18** on the Inventory / Receipt Attachment form dated 07/30/2021.

S/A Staley located a second cellular phone with reddish brown stains (suspected blood) near the sofa. S/A Staley photographed the cellular phone as it was found and again utilizing placard #19 for documentation. S/A Staley collected, secured, and preserved the cellular phone as **item #19** on the Inventory / Receipt Attachment form dated 07/30/2021.

S/A Staley located five Speer cartridge cases on the floor under the window in the front room. S/A Staley photographed the cartridge cases as they were found and again utilizing placards #20 through #24 for documentation. S/A Staley collected, secured, and preserved the cartridge cases as **items #20 and #24** on the Inventory / Receipt Attachment form dated 07/30/2021.

S/A Staley located a copper jacketed bullet on the floor under the window in the front room. S/A Staley photographed the bullet as it was found and again utilizing placard #25 for documentation. S/A Staley collected, secured, and preserved the bullet as **item #25** on the Inventory / Receipt Attachment form dated 07/30/2021.

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S/A Staley located a Speer cartridge case on the floor under the window in the front room. S/A Staley photographed the cartridge case as it was found and again utilizing placard #26 for documentation. S/A Staley collected, secured, and preserved the cartridge case as **item #26** on the Inventory / Receipt Attachment form dated 07/30/2021.

S/A Staley located a Speer 9mm cartridge case in a baking pan on the stove. S/A Staley photographed the cartridge case as it was found and again utilizing placard #27 for documentation. S/A Staley collected, secured, and preserved the cartridge case as **item #27** on the Inventory / Receipt Attachment form dated 07/30/2021.

On the ground floor sidewalk between the buildings at the bottom of the stairway, S/A Staley located a Speer 9mm cartridge case. S/A Staley photographed the cartridge case as it was found and again utilizing placard #28 for documentation. S/A Staley collected, secured, and preserved the cartridge case as **item #28** on the Inventory / Receipt Attachment form dated 07/30/2021.

S/A Staley located a cartridge case under the end table in the front room of apartment #A8. S/A Staley photographed the cartridge case as it was found and again utilizing placard #29 for documentation. S/A Staley collected, secured, and preserved the cartridge case as **item #29** on the Inventory / Receipt Attachment form dated 07/30/2021.

On the sofa, S/A Staley located two black shirts with suspected blood stains. S/A Staley photographed the two shirts as they were found and again utilizing placard #30 for documentation. S/A Staley collected, secured, and preserved the two shirts as **item #30** on the Inventory / Receipt Attachment form dated 07/30/2021.

S/a Staley located a fireplace poker on the kitchen floor in the threshold of a closet. S/A Staley photographed the fireplace poker as it was found and again utilizing placard #31 for documentation. S/A Staley collected, secured, and preserved the fireplace poker as **item #31** on the Inventory / Receipt Attachment form dated 07/30/2021.

S/A Staley located pieces of a broken folding type knife on the floor of the front room and inside the bedroom. Pieces of the broken knife exhibited reddish brown stains suspected to be blood. S/A Staley photographed the pieces of the knife as they were found and again utilizing placard #32 for documentation. S/A Staley collected, secured, and preserved the pieces of broken folding type knife as **item #32** on the Inventory / Receipt Attachment form dated 07/30/2021.

S/A Staley located a copper jacketed bullet on the floor inside the front door. S/A Staley photographed the bullet as it was found and again utilizing placard #33 for documentation. S/A

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Staley collected, secured, and preserved the bullet as **item #33** on the Inventory / Receipt Attachment form dated 07/30/2021.

S/A Staley located a Speer 9mm cartridge case under the sofa, S/A Staley photographed the cartridge case as it was found and again utilizing placard #34 for documentation. S/A Staley collected, secured, and preserved the cartridge case as **item #34** on the Inventory / Receipt Attachment form dated 07/30/2021.

S/A Dan Boerner arrived on scene and employed a Faro® scanner to document the scene and location and measurements of the evidence collected.

S/A Staley located suspected blood stains on the floor inside the closet adjoining the kitchen. S/A Staley placed a scale (A) next to the stain for documentation. S/A Staley photographed and documented stain (A). S/A Staley collected a representative swab of stain (A). S/A Staley collected, secured, and preserved the representative swab of stain (A) as **item #35** on the Inventory / Receipt Attachment form dated 07/30/2021.

S/A Staley located suspected blood stains on the carpeted floor of the front room. S/A Staley placed a scale (B) next to the stain for documentation. S/A Staley photographed and documented stain (B). S/A Staley collected a representative swab of stain (B). S/A Staley collected, secured, and preserved the representative swab of stain (B) as **item #36** on the Inventory / Receipt Attachment form dated 07/30/2021.

S/a Staley noted there were multiple suspected bullet strikes within apartment #A8. S/A Staley placed scale stickers on each of the suspected bullet strikes and documented them.

All items of evidence were retained by the Ohio Bureau of Criminal Investigation to be held as evidence. An Inventory / Receipt Attachment form was filled out and signed by S/A Staley and S/A Andy Harasimchuk, a copy of the form was left with Harasimchuk for their records.

The photographs were uploaded into the Matrix record retention database. A DVD copy of the photographs was made and disseminated to the S/A Cory Momchilov of the Ohio Bureau of Criminal Investigation and to be placed into their respective case file.



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