

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



2024-1015

Officer Involved Critical Incident - 100 Block 8th Street, N.E. New Philadelphia, Ohio 44663 Tuscarawas, County

**Investigative Activity**: Information Provided/Obtained, Interview with Witness, Meeting,

Evidence Collection, Video Review

Involves: William Green (O)

Date of Activity: 04/04/2024

**Activity Location:** 

Author: SA Charles H. Snyder, #90

### Background:

On Sunday, March 31, 2024, at 2221 hours, the Bureau of Criminal Investigation (BCI) was dispatched through Who's Responding notification system to an Officer-Involved Critical Incident involving reported gunshot injuries, at 834 East High Street and Tell Avenue SE, in New Philadelphia (Tuscarawas County) Ohio. Personnel from the Tuscarawas County Sheriff's Office (TCSO) were indicated as involved. Initial reporting indicated at least one citizen and one law enforcement officer were injured and en route to hospital(s) for treatment. BCI Special Agent Charlie Snyder (Snyder) was dispatched to assist the on-call team at 2224 hours.

#### Action Taken:

On Thursday, April 4, 2024, Snyder assisted other BCI personnel in the collection of home surveillance and business video recordings from this incident. During this action, Snyder spoke with Glenn Roark and his spouse

During this contact, Snyder was advised that the Roarks' son, William Green (Green), had discovered that his residence video cameras had captured information about this matter. The Roark's provided Snyder with their son's cellular telephone number.

At approximately 1210 hours, Snyder made cellular telephone contact with Green, who was working for the Ohio Department of Transportation, and at that time was out of town. Green advised he would be off work and at home around 1600 hours. Green confirmed the information that was provided to Snyder by his parents relative to

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capturing video recording information on this matter. Green agreed to meet with Snyder after 1600 hours on this date.

At 1615 hours, Snyder arrived and met with Green and the Roarks, at the Green/Roark residence. A brief interview with Green indicated that he was at home on the night of the incident. He further indicated having not personally witnessed or being aware of any portion of the incident as it happened. Green learned about this incident from a telephone call from his brother, Travis. Green indicated following his brother's call, he reviewed his outside home surveillance video footage, and discovered that the cameras had captured portions of the incident audibly and some limited video images.

Green at this time allowed Snyder to review the recordings on Green's laptop computer in the dining room area of the Green/Roark residence.

Green's five video surveillance cameras are positioned on the exterior of his residence. The system, according to Green, is a "Rolink" brand and captures video images in "4K and 1080P format". The audible recording portion of the video captured the sounds of a vehicle skidding, apparent impact, verbal commands and challenges, gunshots, and sirens. Video captured on the security cameras, showed police emergency lighting on 8th Street NE and police vehicles traveling on adjacent streets, including the apparent stolen TCSO Sheriff 's vehicle.

Green provided Snyder with a memory-stick/thumb drive, containing the audible and video imagery. This transfer was documented with Ohio BCI Inventory/Receipt Attachment form.

• Camera #4 - Tell
Street, SE

• Camera #5 - in direction of Bank Lane, SE

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Note: On instruction from Special Agent John Tingley, the received memory stick device/thumb-drive was provided to him for submission into physical evidence.

Note: This report summarizes information deemed by the author of the most relevance to the investigation and does not contain all questions and answers from the interview. This report was placed in a chronology to aid the reader's overall understanding of information elicited during the interview and may not be reflective of the actual sequencing of questions.

### References:

Reference Item C - USB Thumbdrive of Surveillance Camera Video of William Green

#### Attachments:

Attachment # 01: 2024-04-04 - William Green Receipt for Memory Stick with videos -

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