

Media Information

Columbus Division of Police Homicide Bureau / Homicide Team 5 Unit

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Date: 5/1/2024

Type of Offense/Incident: Homicide Date: 4/29/2024 Time: 2:31am

Location of Offense/Incident: 1700 Block of N High St Zone: 4 Precinct: 4

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Victim: Ronald Diggs		Sex: M	Race: B	Age: 38	
Victim: #2-Adult		Sex:	Race:	Age:	
Victim: #3-Adult		Sex:	Race:	Age:	
Suspect: Jaquan Curry		Address: LK	Address: LKA Sterling Lane, Columbus, Oh.		
☐ Arrested	⊠ Warrant on File	Sex: M	Race: B	Age: 19	
Charges: Murder					
Suspect: Unknown		Address:	Address:		
☐ Arrested	☐ Warrant on File	Sex:	Race:	Age:	
Charges:					

Incident Summary: Update: As of May 7, 2024, detectives have identified four additional persons of interest they need to interview in regards to this incident. Detectives are again asking for help from our community partners. If you know the whereabouts or identities of the four additional persons of interest, please call Central Ohio Crime Stoppers at (614) 461-TIPS (8477). ***

*** Update: May 1, 2024, detectives have identified the suspect in this case as Jaquan Curry and have issued a warrant for his arrest. Detectives also need to identify three additional persons of interest and are asking for assistance from our community partners. If you know the whereabouts of Mr. Curry or the three additional persons of interest in this incident, please call Central Ohio Crime Stoppers at (614) 461-TIPS (8477). ***

On April 29, 2024, patrol officers were dispatched to the 1700 block of N. High St. on the report of a fight and shots fired. Upon arrival, they found an individual suffering from an apparent gunshot wound. Officers provided aid to the victim until Columbus Fire Medic #7 arrived and took over care. Victim #1 was transported to a local hospital in critical condition. Despite receiving life-saving medical care, victim #1 was pronounced deceased at 3:06 a.m. Victim #2 and victim #3 were assaulted during the fight and were treated at a local hospital as well.

Anyone with information regarding this incident, is asked to call Columbus Police Homicide Unit at (614) 645-4730 or Central Ohio Crime Stoppers at (614) 461-TIPS (8477). Detective Matt Smith is the lead detective on the case and is being assisted by Detective Soviak.

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