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Officer-Involved Shooting

*****UPDATE*****

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The investigation into the officer-involved shooting that occurred on Wednesday, October 4, 2023, in the 1600 block of Sullivant Avenue continues.

The suspect has been identified as Michael Lamont Frierson, DOB: 12/15/1986. Mr. Frierson is currently in police custody at the hospital due to having outstanding felony warrants for his arrest. Mr. Frierson is currently listed as being in critical but stable condition. Criminal charges, including Domestic Violence and Felonious Assault Against a Peace Officer will be filed on Mr. Frierson.

Investigators recovered three edged weapons at the scene, including a pair of scissors, a knife, and a fork.

Due to Marsy's Law, the Columbus Division of Police is unable to release the identity of the officer involved. However, their years of service are as follows:

The officer involved is a 4-year veteran of the Columbus Division of Police.

The Ohio Bureau of Criminal Investigation is handling the investigation into this officer-involved shooting by the Columbus Division of Police.

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