



Media Information

Columbus Division of Police

Date: January 12, 2020

Major Crimes Bureau / Homicide Unit

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Type of Offense/Incident: Homicide

Date: January 12, 2020 Time: 4:22PM

Location of Offense/Incident: 6391 Georges Creek Dr.

Zone: 2

Precinct: 20

Incident Report #: 200032600

Cruiser District: 203

Victim: Savon Anthony Pullie (deceased)

Sex: Male

Race: Black

Age: 21

Victim: Todd Hammond Jr.

Sex: Male

Race: Black

Age: 20

Victim:

Sex:

Race:

Age:

Suspect: Darnell Rashawn Walton

Address: 5709 Mouzon Drive

43232

☐ Arrested

☒ Warrant on File

Sex: Male

Race: Black

Age: 19

Charges: Murder (2903.02A)

Suspect:

Address:

☐ Arrested

☐ Warrant on File

Sex:

Race:

Age:

Charges:

Incident Summary: On January 12, 2020 at 4:22PM, Patrol Officers responded to 6391 Georges Creek Drive on the report of a vehicle striking a building. Initial investigation indicated that witnesses heard gunshots immediately preceding the accident and upon arrival, Officers found the vehicle engulfed in flames and summoned CFD. Once the fire was extinguished, further investigation revealed the presence of the victim, later identified as Savon Pullie, inside the vehicle. Mr. Pullie was pronounced deceased at 4:35 p.m. It was also learned, that a second victim, Todd Hammond Jr., was also in the vehicle at the time of the shooting and when the vehicle struck the building. Mr. Hammond fled on foot after the accident, and suffered only minor injuries.

*****UPDATE***:** Columbus Police Homicide Detectives have filed a Murder warrant against Darnell Rashawn Walton in the death of Savon Pullie. The whereabouts of Darnell Walton are still unknown and he should be considered "armed and dangerous".

The investigation continues. This is the 8th Homicide in the City of Columbus in 2020.

Anyone with information regarding this incident, is asked to call the Columbus Police Homicide Unit at (614) 645-4730 or Central Ohio Crime Stoppers at (614) 461-TIPS.

Detective Michael Huffman is the lead Detective on the case being assisted by Det. Heather Collins.

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