

# Media Information



**Columbus Division of Police**  
**Major Crimes Bureau / Homicide Unit**

**Date: 6/01/2020**

**Thomas Quinlan, Chief of Police**

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**Phone: (614) 645 - 4730**

**Ext: 4730**

**Type of Offense/Incident: Homicide**

**Date: 6/01/2020**

**Time: 11:21AM**

**Location of Offense/Incident: 1774 Kent Street**

**Zone: 5**

**Precinct: 12**

**Incident Report #: 200394311**

**Cruiser District: 123**

**Victim: Erick Peeples**

**Sex: Male**

**Race: Black**

**Age: 22**

**Victim:**

**Sex:**

**Race:**

**Age:**

**Victim:**

**Sex:**

**Race:**

**Age:**

**Suspect: Unknown**

**Address:**

☐ Arrested ☐ Warrant on File

**Sex:**

**Race:**

**Age:**

**Charges:**

**Suspect:**

**Address:**

☐ Arrested ☐ Warrant on File

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**Incident Summary:** On Monday June 01, 2020, at approximately 11:22 am, family of Mr. Peeples reported to Columbus Police they were unable to reach Mr. Peeples so they went to his residence to check on his wellbeing. The family found Mr. Peeples deceased inside 1774 Kent Street. Police are investigating this death as a homicide.

Anyone with information regarding this Homicide is asked to call Columbus Police Homicide Unit at (614) 645-4730 or Central Ohio Crime Stoppers at (614) 461-TIPS. This is the 44th Homicide in Columbus Ohio in Calendar Year 2020. Detective James Porter is the lead detective on the case being assisted by Detective Michelle Henry.

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