

Media Information



Columbus Division of Police

Date: 11/8/2020

Major Crimes Bureau / Felony Assault Unit

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Type of Offense/Incident: Shooting

Date: 11/8/2020

Time: 7:54 p.m.

Location of Offense/Incident: Grace St. & N. Harris Ave

Zone: 3

Precinct: 19

Incident Report #: 200844069

Cruiser District: 192

Victim: Benjamin Pyers

Sex: Male

Race: White

Age: 43

Victim:

Sex:

Race:

Age:

Victim:

Sex:

Race:

Age:

Suspect:

Address:

☐ Arrested ☐ Warrant on File

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Suspect:

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Incident Summary: On November 8, 2020 at approximately 7:55 p.m., Columbus Division of Police patrol officers responded to the area of N. Hague Avenue and Grace Street on a report of a shooting. Upon arrival officers located Benjamin Pyers suffering from multiple gunshot wounds to his lower body. Columbus Division of Fire medic 817 transported Mr. Pyers to an area hospital in stable condition.

It was learned during the investigation Mr. Pyers got into a physical fight with a male white suspect. The suspect then produced a handgun and fired multiple gunshots at Mr. Pyers striking him multiple times. This incident is still under investigation. Anyone with information regarding this incident is asked to call the Columbus Police Felony Assault Unit at 614-645-4141 or Central Ohio Crime Stoppers at 614-461-TIPS (8477).

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