



Media Information

Columbus Division of Police
Major Crimes Bureau / Homicide Unit

Date: 2/11/2021

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Type of Offense/Incident: Homicide

Date: 2/9/2021

Time: 5:26PM

Location of Offense/Incident: 1270 W. Town St.

Zone: 3

Precinct: 8

Incident Report #: 210094362

Cruiser District: 83

Victim: Jimmy Crum (Deceased)

Sex: Male

Race: Black

Age: 51

Victim:

Sex:

Race:

Age:

Victim:

Sex:

Race:

Age:

Suspect: Mark Stevens

Address: 1349 Sullivant Ave.

☐ Arrested

☒ Warrant on File

Sex: Male

Race: Black

Age: 41

Charges: Murder

Suspect:

Address:

☐ Arrested

☐ Warrant on File

Sex:

Race:

Age:

Charges:

Incident Summary:

*****UPDATE:** On Thursday, February 11, 2021, at 6:28PM, Crum succumbed his/her injuries and was pronounced deceased by attending physicians. Detectives have filed a warrant charging 41-year-old Mark Stevens with Murder for causing Crum's death. Anyone who knows Smith's whereabouts is asked to contact police. This is the 27th homicide in Columbus Ohio in Calendar Year 2021.***

On Tuesday, February 9, 2021, at 5:26PM, Columbus Police Officers were called to Van's Carry Out at 1270 W. Town St. on a report of a shooting. On arrival, officers found 51-year-old Jimmy Crum suffering from an apparent gunshot wound. CFD Medic 10 transported Crum, to Grant Medical Center in critical condition.

The investigation revealed there was a dispute inside Van's Carry Out during which a customer was thrown out of the carry out by Crum and another employee. As he was leaving the customer made verbal threats to come back and shoot the employees. A short time later the customer, accompanied by a group of people, returned to the store and began fighting with Crum outside the carry out. During the fight shots were fired and Crum was injured. Due to the severity of Crum's injuries, the Homicide Unit is investigating this incident.

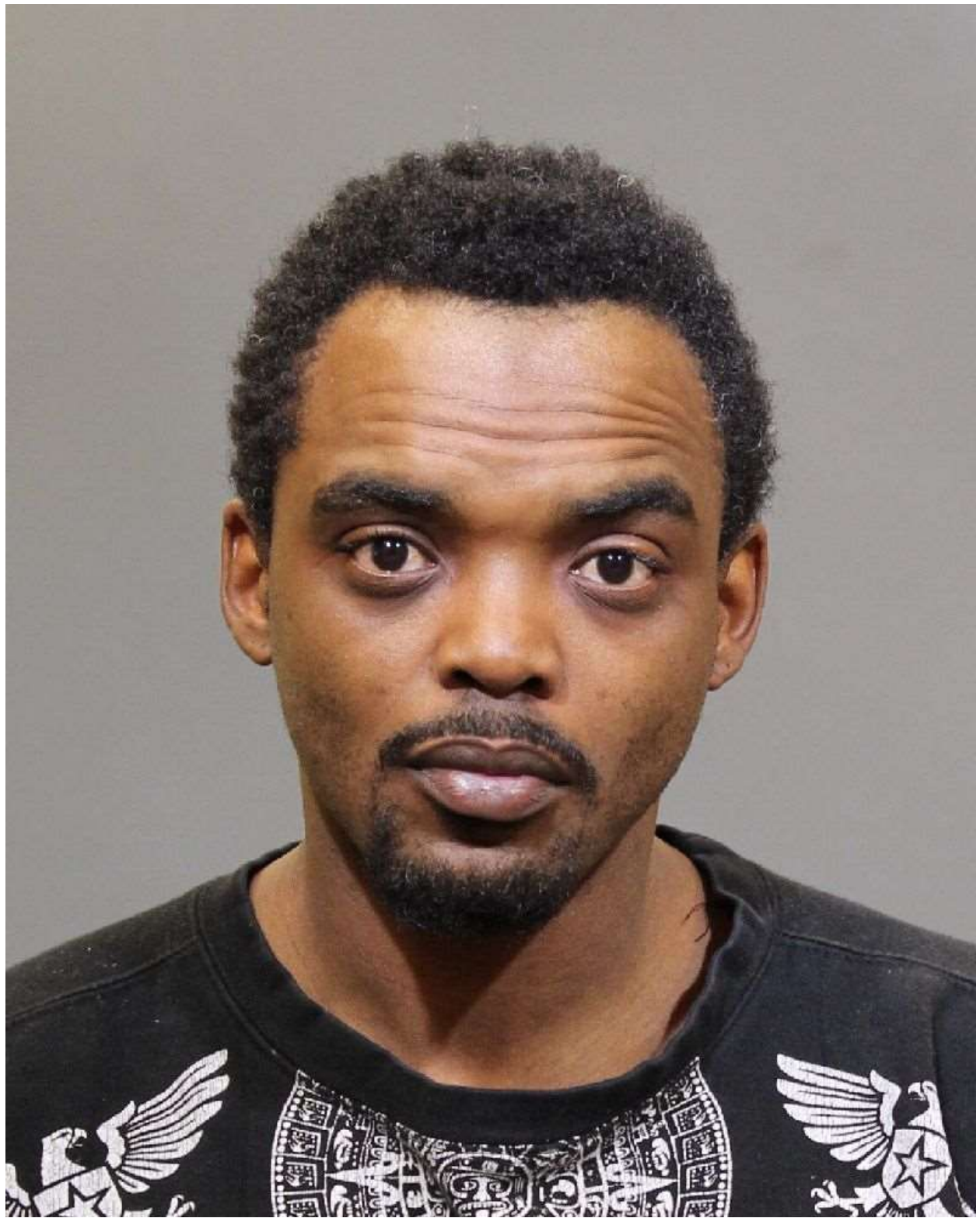
Anyone with information regarding this incident, is asked to call Columbus Police Homicide Unit at (614) 645-4730 or Central Ohio Crime Stoppers at (614) 461-TIPS (8477). Incident #210094362. Detective Polgar is the lead detective on the case and is being assisted by Detective Niederkohr.

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