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## Community Response Bureau

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### Brothers Team Up For The Great American Relay

Today, September 21, 2021, Community Liaison Officer Mark Hauenstein will join his brother Carl Hauenstein who is taking part in The Great American Relay to honor and support first responders and the military.

Carl Hauenstein will be running 10 miles while carrying the Columbus Division of Police flag from the Truro Township Fire Department at 6305 E. Livingston Avenue to the Columbus Division of Fire Station 1 & 9 at 300 N. 4<sup>th</sup> Street.

The Great American Relay began on September 11, 2021 in Boston, Massachusetts to commemorate the 20 year anniversary of 9/11. It encompasses 18 states and more than 3,500 miles in 38 days. The Great American Relay concludes in Santa Monica, California.

Carl Hauenstein will begin running at 3:54pm.

Officer Mark Hauenstein will drive alongside him in his cruiser.

“My brother supports my law enforcement profession so he asked if he could carry the Division flag to support first responders and the military. I am honored he asked me and I will proudly be by his side,” said Officer Hauenstein.

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