

## **Media Information**

## **Columbus Division of Police** Major Crimes Bureau / Accident Investigation Unit

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Date: 2/5/2023

Type of Offense/Incident: Fatal Crash Date: 2/4/2023 Time: 8:25 PM

Location of Offense/Incident: SR 104 N. at Alum Creek Zone: 2 Precinct: 13

Incident Report #: 230086239 **Cruiser District: 133** 

| Victim:  |                   | Sex:             | Race:    | Age:               |
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| Suspect:   |                   | Address:         |          |                    |
| ☐ Arrested   | ☐ Warrant on File | Sex:             | Race:    | Age:               |
| Charges:   |                   |                  |          |                    |
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| Incident Summary: On February 4, 2023 Mr. Janeiro Matthews was driving his 2014 Kia Cadenza westbound on SR 104 at about Alum Creek Rd. when he was struck head on by a 2012 Toyota Camry driven by Mr. Aden Dagane. Preliminary reports stated that Mr. Dagane had entered the off-ramp from SR 104 going eastbound before the vehicles colided. The passenger of Mr. Dagane's vehicle; Ms. Burke was injured in the crash and transported to Mt. Caramel East Hospital in stable condition. Both Mr. Matthews and Dagane were transported to Grant Medical Center where they both succumbed to their injuries. |                   |                  |          |                    |
| The Accident Investigation Unit responded to the scene and initiated an investigation.   |                   |                  |          |                    |
| This traffic crash remains under investigation.  |                   |                  |          |                    |
| This is the 9 <sup>th</sup> and 10 <sup>th</sup> traffic fatality in Columbus this year.   |                   |                  |          |                    |
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