Media Information

Columbus Division of Police **Date: 10/19/26**

Homicide Bureau / Homicide Unit

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Type of Offense/Incident: Homicide **Date: 10/19/26** **Time: 2:12 PM**

Location of Offense/Incident: 2200 block of Albert Av. **Zone: 6** **Precinct: 2**

Incident Report #: 260788205 **Cruiser District: 9020**

Victim: Luqmaan Cusmaan	**Sex: Male**	**Race: Black**	**Age: 21**
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Suspect: **Address:**

☐ **Arrested** ☐ **Warrant on File** **Sex:** **Race:** **Age:**

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Incident Summary:

On October 19, 2026, at 2:12 PM, Columbus Police officers were dispatched to the 2200 block of Albert Av. on a reported shooting. Upon arrival, the officers located an unresponsive adult victim, identified as LUQMAAN CUSMAAN, age 21, suffering from a gunshot wound. Mifflin Twp. Fire medics arrived and pronounced the victim deceased at 2:19 PM. Next of kin notification has been made.

Several persons were observed in the immediate area prior to the shooting. Detectives are working to identify those persons and establish a motive for the shooting. The investigation continues.

Anyone with information regarding this incident is asked to call Columbus Police Detective Journey at (614) 645-4953, the Homicide Unit at (614) 645-4730, or Central Ohio Crime Stoppers at (614) 461-TIPS (8477). Detective Journey is the lead detective and is being assisted by Detective Rowlands.

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