



# Media Information

Columbus Division of Police  
Homicide Bureau / Homicide Unit

Date: 9/18/25

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Ext:

Type of Offense/Incident: Homicide/Felonious Assault

Date: 9/18/25

Time: 9:24 AM

Location of Offense/Incident: 3200 block of Sterling Ln.

Zone: 6

Precinct: 7

Incident Report #: 250686914

Cruiser District: 74

Victim: Janaysia Lewis

Sex: Female

Race: Black

Age: 22

Victim: ADULT VICTIM #1

Sex:

Race:

Age:

Victim: ADULT VICTIM #2

Sex:

Race:

Age:

Suspect: Zandra Wignal

Address:

☒ Arrested

☐ Warrant on File

Sex: Female

Race: Black

Age: 32

Charges: Murder

Suspect:

Address:

☐ Arrested

☐ Warrant on File

Sex:

Race:

Age:

Charges:

## Incident Summary:

On September 18, 2025, at 9:24 AM, Columbus Police officers were dispatched to the 3200 block of Sterling Ln. on a reported shooting. Upon arrival, the officers located three gunshot victims. Columbus Fire medics responded and transported each victim to a local hospital. One victim, identified as JANAYSIA LEWIS, age 22, was pronounced deceased at 10:05 AM. Two other victims were treated for their injuries and are expected to survive. Next of kin notification has been made.

The suspect, identified as ZANDRA WIGNAL, age 32, was detained at the scene. The preliminary investigation revealed an argument between the parties as the probable motive. Wignal has been charged with Murder. The investigation continues.

Anyone with information regarding this incident is asked to call Columbus Police Detective Egelhoff at (614) 645-4075, the Homicide Unit at (614) 645-4730, or Central Ohio Crime Stoppers at (614) 461-TIPS (8477). Detective Egelhoff is the lead detective on the case and is being assisted by Detective Jude.

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