



Media Information

Columbus Division of Police
Homicide Bureau / Team 4 Unit

Date: July 8, 2026

Elaine R. Bryant, Chief of Police

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Type of Offense/Incident: Homicide

Date: 7/7/2026

Time: 7:22pm

Location of Offense/Incident: E. 18th Ave and Dora Dr

Zone: 4

Precinct: 4

Incident Report #: 260496694

Cruiser District: 9041

Victim: Kevin Laurin (deceased)

Sex: M

Race: B

Age: 16

Victim:

Sex:

Race:

Age:

Victim:

Sex:

Race:

Age:

Suspect:

Address:

☐ Arrested

☐ Warrant on File

Sex:

Race:

Age:

Charges:

Suspect:

Address:

☐ Arrested

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Incident Summary: On the listed date and time, CPD Patrol officers responded to the report of a shooting. Upon arrival, they located the victim suffering from a gunshot wound. He was transported to OSU-Main hospital where he was pronounced deceased a short time later. Homicide detectives are investigating. NOK has been notified.

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

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