



# Media Information

Columbus Division of Police  
Homicide Bureau / Homicide Team 5 Unit

Date: 2/5/2024

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Type of Offense/Incident: Homicide

Date: 1/5/2024

Time: 1:15am

Location of Offense/Incident: 100 Block of W Cherry St

Zone: 5

Precinct: 16

Incident Report #: 240083045

Cruiser District: 160

Victim: #1-Adult	Sex:	Race:	Age:
Victim: #2-Adult	Sex:	Race:	Age:
Victim:	Sex:	Race:	Age:

Suspect: Unknown	Address:			
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Suspect:	Address:			
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**Incident Summary:** On February 5, 2024, at approximately 1:15am, officers were dispatched to the 100 block of W. Cherry St. on a shots fired call. Officers arrived at the scene and found two individuals suffering from gunshot wounds. The officers rendered aid until Columbus Fire Medic #2 arrived, at which point both subjects were pronounced deceased at 1:25am. The names of the victims are being withheld pending notification of the next of kin.

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

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