



Criminal Intelligence Unit

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Attempt to Identify

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The Ohio Bureau of Criminal Investigation, Knox County Sheriff's Office and the Fredericktown Police Department are attempting to identify an individual who pointed a firearm at a police officer during a traffic stop on 6/17/2021.

Fredericktown Police made a traffic stop on a vehicle for a registration violation. As the officer approached the vehicle, the driver pointed a pistol out the driver's window at the officer. The officer fired at the driver who then took off at a high rate of speed. The officer pursued the vehicle for a short time but eventually lost the vehicle, which was later found abandoned in Richland County, and was then towed and secured at the Knox County Sheriff's Office.

The officer was not injured. It's unknown if the driver or passenger of the vehicle were injured.

Anyone with information regarding the unidentified individual (believed to be a white male) shown in the attached picture is encouraged to contact the Knox County Sheriff's Office at (740) 397-3333.



About BCI CIU

The Criminal Intelligence Unit consists of Criminal Intelligence Analysts and a Criminal Intelligence Analyst Supervisor. Analysts are located in BCI London headquarters, as well as regional offices in Youngstown, Bowling Green and Richfield. The members receive and fulfill requests from BCI Agents, local, state, federal law enforcement agencies and task forces. Our mission is to predict and expose criminal activity in order to prevent, eliminate or neutralize the activity.

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