



Media Information

Columbus Division of Police
Homicide Bureau / Homicide Team 6 Unit

Date: Update: May 22, 2024

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Type of Offense/Incident: Homicide

Date: April 15, 2024

Time: 2:30PM

Location of Offense/Incident: 4600 Block of Refugee Rd

Zone: 2

Precinct: 20

Incident Report #: 240260868

Cruiser District: 201

Victim: Eugene M. McGuire Jr	Sex: Male	Race: White	Age: 36
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Suspect: Derek Jackson	Address: City of Columbus			
<input type="checkbox"/> Arrested	<input type="checkbox"/> Warrant on File	Sex: Male	Race: Black	Age: 56
Charges: Felonious Assault				
Suspect:	Address:			
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Incident Summary: On April 15, 2024, at 2:30 PM, Columbus Police officers were dispatched to the 4600 block of Refugee Rd. to investigate an unknown complaint. Upon arrival, the officers located a victim, identified as EUGENE MCGUIRE, age 36. The victim was unresponsive with visible signs of injury. Madison Township medics responded and transported the victim to a local hospital.

The preliminary investigation revealed the victim was assaulted by a known suspect, identified as DEREK JACKSON, age 56, during an argument. On May 9, 2024, the suspect was arrested and slated into the Franklin County Jail on a warrant charging him with Felonious Assault. On May 15, 2024, at 6:55 AM, the victim was pronounced deceased. Next of kin notification has been made. This incident remains under investigation, and additional charges may be filed at a later date.

Anyone with information regarding this incident is asked to call Columbus Police Detective Camp-Donovan at (614) 645-2557, the Columbus Police Homicide Unit at (614) 645- 4730, or Central Ohio Crime Stoppers at (614) 461-TIPS (8477). Detective Camp-Donovan is being assisted by Detective Fulton of the Felony Assault Unit.

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