

## **Media Information**

## Columbus Division of Police Homicide Bureau / Homicide Team 2 Unit

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Date: 5/30/2024 UPDATE

Type of Offense/Incident: Homicide Date: 1/28/2024 Time: 12:46am

Location of Offense/Incident: 2400 Block of Kimberly Pkwy E Zone: 2 Precinct: 9

Incident Report #: 240063578	Cruiser District: 93
Victim: Deangelo Williams Jr.	Sex: Male Race: Black Age: 23
Victim: Adult Female	Sex: Race: Age:
Victim:	Sex: Race: Age:
Suspect: Leon Mason	Address:
⊠ Arrested ☐ Warrant on File	Sex: Male Race: Black Age: 22
Charges: Murder, Felonious Assault	
Suspect: Mark Denny	Address:
⊠ Arrested ☐ Warrant on File	Sex: Male Race: Black Age: 22
Charges: Murder, Felonious Assault	

Incident Summary: \*\*\*UPDATE May 30, 2024\*\*\* On May 30, 2024, the Franklin County Grand Jury indicted Mr. Mark Denny on Murder and other charges related to this homicide. Mr. Denny was taken into custody without incident shortly thereafter by Columbus Police SWAT personnel.

\*\*\*UPDATE February 27, 2024\*\*\* On February 27, 2024, Mr. Leon Mason was arrested without incident by CRT personnel on warrants for Murder and Felonious Assault related to this homicide.

\*\*\*UPDATE January 29, 2024\*\*\* On January 29, 2024, despite all efforts by hospital staff, the victim, identified as Mr. Deangelo Williams Jr., succumbed to his injuries and was pronounced deceased at 2:41 PM. Next of kin has been notified.

On January 28, 2024, at approximately 12:46am, officers were dispatched to the 2400 block of Kimberly Pkwy on an unknown complaint. Once officers arrived at the scene, they found an individual in a vehicle, unresponsive, who had crashed into several other parked vehicles. The officers assessed victim #1 and determined they were suffering from a gunshot wound. The victim was transported to a local hospital and is not likely to survive their injury. It is unknown at this time what led to the shooting; this is an ongoing investigation.

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 Weiner is the lead detective on the case and is being assisted by Detective Wood.

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