



FRANKLIN COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE

Sheriff Dallas Baldwin

Detective Bureau

****Press Release****

Date: January 19, 2018

Type of Offense: Deputy Involved Shooting

Date Occurred: January 17, 2018

Time Occurred: 12:36pm

Location: Franklin County Juvenile Court Division, 373 South High St, Columbus, OH

Sheriff Dallas Baldwin states, on January 17, 2018, Franklin County Deputy Sheriff Richard Scarborough, was assigned to security on the 5th floor at Franklin County Juvenile Court, 373 South High St, Columbus, Ohio, and responded to a disturbance in Courtroom 56.

Joseph Haynes was in courtroom 56 on two delinquency cases, both involving guns in front of Magistrate Larry Sanchez. At some point, as the hearing was concluding, Joseph Haynes and his mother became very agitated and disruptive in the courtroom.

As they were being escorted from the courtroom, there was an altercation involving Deputy Scarborough, Joseph Haynes and his mother. During this altercation, outside of the courtroom, Deputy Scarborough was somehow knocked to the ground where he came under attack. One shot was fired by Deputy Scarborough striking Joseph Haynes in the left side of the his torso. Haynes was transported to Grant Medical Center by Columbus Fire Department medics. Joseph Haynes was pronounced dead at 1:14pm. Deputy Scarborough was treated and released at a local hospital for facial injuries.

This is an ongoing and still developing investigation being conducted by the Franklin County Sheriff's Office Detective Bureau with the assistances of the Ohio Bureau of Criminal Investigations. When the investigation is completed, the case will be presented to the Franklin County Grand Jury for review. Surveillance video from the hallway outside of courtroom 56 is available for release to the media.

If anyone has additional information please contact the Franklin County Sheriff's Office Detective Bureau @ (614)525-3351.