

On September 3, 2017 at approximately 1546 hours while assigned to uniformed patrol; I received a call from Dispatch in reference to a possible active domestic at 7016 New Horizon Ave. in Mad River Township. Dispatch further advised, the reporting party, a Katherine Collins, had called in and stated she had been assaulted by her live-in boyfriend, Christopher Brown. Dispatch advised Miss Collins was currently waiting in her vehicle, a white Pontiac G6 bearing Ohio registration GJL4116, on Chama Tr. also in Mad River Township.

Upon arrival on Chama Tr. I met with and began speaking with Miss Collins who stated her boyfriend, Mr. Brown had been drinking "Bud Ice" since 1100 hours. Miss Collins stated when Mr. Brown consumes alcohol he becomes violent and physically assaults her. Miss Collins continued by stating she was tired of the abuse and was wishing to pursue criminal charges. Miss Collins stated Mr. Brown had punched his fists into her lower abdomen and then "pressed them under her rib cage." Miss Collins further stated she did not require medical treatment and that she was "sore" from the assault. Miss Collins stated there were no marks except for redness which had disappeared. When asked of Miss Collins relationship with Mr. Brown she stated they have lived together for approximately two years in her Mother's residence on New Horizon. Miss Collins stated she had quit her employment due to Mr. Brown supporting her financially and she had previously supported him. Miss Collins stated they share food, clothing, and fuel expenses and furthermore have been household members during their relationship. Miss Collins completed a written statement, a Domestic Violence Probable Cause Narrative, and a consent to search form of the above listed address.

After completion of the appropriate paperwork, myself and Deputy M. Yates #80, who had previously arrived on scene; approached 7019 New Horizon in an attempt to make contact with Mr. Brown. I knocked on both front doors, the rear door, as well as another rear door inside the patio; receiving no answer. Having the consent to search form completed as well as verbal consent from Miss Collins, who is a resident; myself and Dep. Yates entered the residence through a rear unlocked door. Upon entrance, myself and Dep. Yates clearly announced ourselves and Office, while doing so, a consensual search was conducted of the common areas of the residence, specifically what appeared to be the living room, kitchen, another living room, and then a hallway. Upon approach to the hallway, while continuing to announce our presence; a voice was heard from a rear bedroom at which time the subject, identified as Mr. Brown was ordered from the bedroom with his hands visible. After exiting, Mr. Brown was ordered to his knees where he was secured in cuffs both of which were double locked and properly gapped. A Terry Pat-down of Mr. Brown was conducted of which yielded no weapons. Mr. Brown was advised of the reason of his detainment and was further asked concerning the incident which Miss Collins alleged. Mr. Brown refused to give a statement and requested his attorney at which time all conversation ceased. Mr. Brown was advised he was under arrest for domestic violence and assault at which time he was escorted from the residence and placed in the rear of my cruiser. Mr. Brown was properly secured and then transported to CCSO, nothing further.

Deputy B. Barrett