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Private Investigators in Ohio

Private Investigators' job duties may vary, but they all play an important role in assisting individuals, law enforcement agencies and businesses. Check out what some of our PISGS Licensed PI's are doing to contribute to a Safer Ohio:

In addition to my full time job, I donate my services in assisting families find their runaway children. Often times these families need someone to help them and I find my help is very rewarding to me and extremely appreciated by the families.

-Russell J. Horner, Horner Investigative Services Inc.

Private Investigators in Ohio conduct investigations in an attempt to bring citizens justice in wrongful death, child abuse, drug abuse and probate matters. Justice makes for a safer state.

-Jim Sylvania, Sylvania Investigative Services

We help make Ohio safer by providing investigative services to Ohio residents who are victims of crimes that are either unsolved, or could remain unsolved, if not for our efforts. We also assist Ohio industries in investigating thefts, slippage and industrial espionage.

-Ron Scheiderer, RSA Private Investigators, Ltd.

The Ohio Missing Persons Project Inc. is a charitable organization that provides private investigative services, free of charge, to families of missing loved ones whose cases have gone cold. The charity exists in a hope to assure Ohio families that there is an advocate that will work for them to find answers to their pressing questions.

- Les Mitchell, CEO and Chief Investigator for The Ohio Missing Persons Project Inc.

At Legal Investigations our primary case load is from the common pleas courts in the state. We are appointed by the courts to assist the defense team. Our work is important to ensure that everyone has a fair trial. We consider ourselves part of a team that insures everyone's constitutional rights are observed.

-Wayne Miller, Legal Investigation Services

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Did you know?



Safer Ohio Standout

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Private Investigators and the Law

“Reading books and watching movies about private investigators naturally requires some suspension of disbelief. After all, many fictional detectives are impossibly heroic or improbably cool. But fictional investigators aren't just too smart, too good-looking, too lucky or too witty to be true. Much of the time, they make decisions that would land a real investigator in jail and out of a job...” says Tracy V. Wilson, “How Private Investigators Work” 28 February 2007 HowStuffWorks.com. (read full article here: <https://money.howstuffworks.com/private-investigator3.htm>)

Backing up this article, Terry L Myer Sr, CEO, Columbus Detective Agency, Inc. and President of the National Council of Investigation and Security Services (NCISS), says that in his almost 30 years working as a private investigator, the most important thing he has learned is to know the state laws in which you are licensed. He advises that “The National Council of Investigation and Security Services (NCISS) is a great membership to help you obtain state and federal information to help with cases. One helpful program they have is called SLAM (State Legislation Advocacy Monitoring), this is for your state. This association will help you grow your business by case work and learning the Ohio laws. Some of the state laws we have worked on are: Sexual harassment, locating debtors, assisting ID theft victims, finding deadbeat parents, workplace violence, pretexting, drones, and legislative and regulatory overviews.”

NCISS provides education to assist private investigators in complying with state laws and warns that “A member shall never undertake an assignment that is contrary to the Constitution of the United States of America or the security interest of this country.”

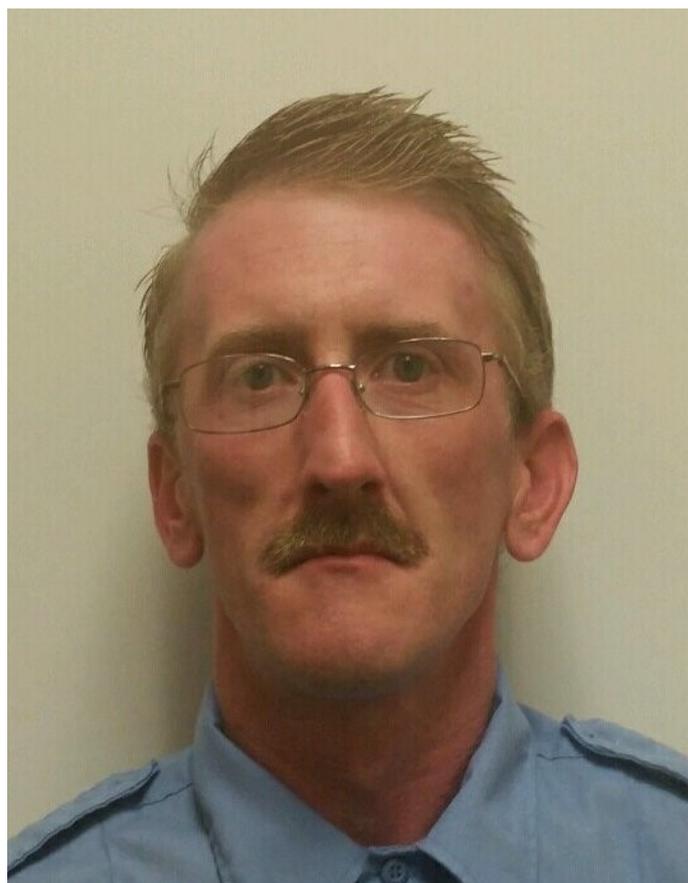


Rural Metro Fire Dept's. Security Division would like to recognize Security Guard Scott Carter for the Ohio PISGS Safer Ohio Standout.

Based on a letter of appreciation Rural Metro received from a passenger, Shauna Steadman, who was traveling through the John Glenn International Airport on Christmas Day 2017, Rural Metro would like to congratulate Security Scott Carter for his superior service, compassion, and caring.

Scott was hired in October 2017 as a Security Guard and has a "get it done" philosophy. He is always willing to do whatever needs to be done and goes above and beyond to ensure customer satisfaction. This is evident by his assistance in transporting Ms. Steadman to the Columbus Greyhound bus depot in his personal vehicle after completing his shift.

Shauna Steadman offers this commendation in her letter, Scott "heard my story, saw my worry and took charge. He found me safe seats, alerted other airport staff and set about finding safe transportation downtown at 2:00 am." Ms. Steadman goes on to imply that Scott was "MY OWN GOOD SAMARITAN!!!"



Did you know?



The annual license renewal deadline is **MARCH 1, 2018.**

****If you let your license expire, you cannot provide services, advertise, or solicit business; and all registered employees are terminated.****

Upcoming Events

Deadline to Renew.....	March 1
Info Seminar.....	March 15
QA Test.....	March 7



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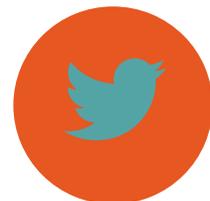
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