

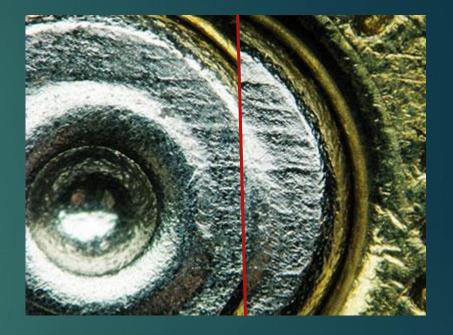
WINSTON-SALEM POLICE DEPARTMENT FORENSIC SERVICES DIVISION



- NIBIN- National Integrated Ballistic Information Network.
- System created in 1999.
- Managed by Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms, and Explosives.
- Nearly 4 million pieces of evidence entered into the system

When a firearm is discharged, it creates markings on the shell casing as unique as a fingerprint. NIBIN searches that ballistic fingerprint for a match.

Links established can be: crime to crime, suspects to scenes, scenes to other scenes, and offenders to crimes.



City of Winston-Salem purchased NIBIN terminal and BrassTrax/MatchPoint software - December 2017

Installation completed in May 2018

• Our NIBIN Terminal went live May 2, 2018

Has already produced leads that were critical in generating arrests.

## Statistics:

2018 – 1,550 packages of shell casings were seized which contained anywhere from 1 to dozens of casings.

● 2019 – 877 packages to date.

## Statistics:

To date, the WSPD NIBIN Terminal has completed approximately 1135 entries.

To date, the WSPD NIBIN Terminal has yielded hundreds of leads. Many under current investigation.

Currently, five WSPD personnel are NIBIN trained. Two more scheduled for June (FCSO personnel assigned to VFIT)

## Questions?

