



Hampton Police Division Media Release

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Suspect in Custody Regarding Shooting Investigation: 1st Block of Family Fun Place

On July 16, 2010 at 10:21 a.m., the Hampton Police Division received an e911 call in reference to a shooting victim that had just walked in to the Sparetimes lobby in the 1st block of Family Fun Place.

The investigation revealed that the victim, a 45-year-old Hampton man, was in the parking lot with the suspect. The two got into an argument when the suspect pulled out a gun and shot the victim in the thigh. The suspect then took the victim's cell phone and fled the scene on foot towards W. Mercury Boulevard and Armistead Avenue. The victim was transported to a local area hospital for treatment of his injuries, which are serious but not considered life threatening at this time. The victim and suspect were acquaintances.

The suspect has been indentified and is currently in police custody. Once the suspect has been transported to lockup, I will be able to release his name and charges.

Corporal Allison Quiñones will receive questions about this release at 757-881-4252.

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