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POLICE INVESTIGATE MURDER IN FAIRMONT VILLAGE

San Diego Police Department Homicide Unit detectives are investigating the shooting death of a male in Fairmont Village.

At 9:09 p.m., officers responded to a report of shooting in the east alley of 3800 Chamoune Avenue. They arrived to find a male lying in the alley, the apparent victim of a gunshot wound. The male was pronounced dead at the scene.

The preliminary investigation has revealed that the victim and a friend were standing in the east alley of 3800 Chamoune Ave. when a green four-door vehicle drove northbound past them. The vehicle stopped in the alley and a Hispanic male exited from the passenger side. The male walked up to the victim and then fired several rounds, striking the victim. The green sedan was last seen driving northbound in the alley.

The suspect is described as a Hispanic male, 18-20 years of age, with a shaved head, a possible mustache, and wearing a black puffy jacket. The drive of the suspect vehicle is believed to be a Hispanic female. The victim has been tentatively identified but his name is being withheld pending family notification.

Anyone with information regarding this incident is asked to call the Homicide Unit at (619) 531-2293 or Crime Stoppers at (888) 580-TIPS.

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