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San Diego Police Looking for Witnesses in Ocean Crest Homicide Shooting

San Diego – The San Diego Police Department (SDPD) is looking for anyone who may have witnessed a shooting near 1200 Hidden Trails Rd. in the Ocean Crest neighborhood on Friday that killed one man and seriously injured another.

Just after 5:30 p.m. on Friday, SDPD Southern Division officers responded to a report of a shooting and located two victims suffering from gunshot wounds. Officers immediately began rendering aid until paramedics could arrive. Unfortunately, one of the victims, described as a 40-year-old Hispanic man, was pronounced deceased at the scene. The other victim, described as a 42-year-old Hispanic man, was transported to a local hospital in serious condition. At this point, he is expected to survive his injuries. Both victims have been identified but their names are not being released at this time. They are both believed to be San Diego County residents.

According to information gathered at the scene, one of the vehicles seen rapidly leaving the scene following the shooting was described as a Lexus. Not long after the shooting, Mid-City Division officers responded to a radio call of a suspicious vehicle near Upas St. and Florida St. They located a Lexus at that location with bullet holes in it. Detectives are investigating whether this Lexus may have been involved in the shooting.

The exact details of what led up to the shooting are still under investigation. There is no suspect description or additional details to release at this time.

Preliminary information gathered indicates that there were multiple people and multiple vehicles in the street at the time of the shooting. Detectives would like to speak to anyone who may have witnessed the event but left before officers arrived at the scene.

Anyone with information regarding this incident is encouraged to call the Homicide Unit at (619) 531-2293 or Crime Stoppers at (888) 580-8477.

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