



THE CITY OF SAN DIEGO

## San Diego Police Department

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**Date: July 29, 2012 (Sunday)**

**Time: 1430 Hours**

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**Homicide Unit**

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### **POLICE INVESTIGATE MURDER IN TERALTA EAST**

San Diego Police Department Homicide Unit detectives are investigating the shooting death of a male on a Teralta East street this morning.

At 9:30 a.m., officers were dispatched to a report of a shooting in the 4200 block of Chamoune Avenue. They arrived to find a male face-down in the driveway of the San Diego Fire Department station on Chamoune Avenue. Officers performed CPR until paramedics arrived, but the victim was pronounced dead at the scene at 9:46 a.m.

The preliminary investigation has revealed that the victim was riding a bicycle in the area of Orange Avenue and Chamoune Avenue when another black male (late 20's, gray tank top, dark shorts) shot him. The victim fell off his bicycle, then ran across the street to the fire station, where he collapsed in the driveway. (The engine company assigned to the station was out on a call when the incident occurred, but they returned to attempt lifesaving measures with paramedics).

The victim has not been identified, and the motive for the shooting is not known.

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

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