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Victims Identified In Southcrest Neighborhood Homicide

San Diego – On February 8, 2020, at approximately 12:04 a.m., the San Diego Police Communications Center received a 911 call regarding a possible shooting at the Southcrest Community Park. When the responding officers arrived on scene, they found a man and a woman who both sustained apparent gunshot wounds. San Diego Fire-Rescue personnel also responded to the scene and transported both victims to a local hospital for treatment. Unfortunately, the woman did not survive her injuries and was pronounced deceased at the hospital at 1:08 a.m. The man underwent emergency surgery and is expected to survive.

Investigators from the San Diego Police Homicide Unit were called to the scene to investigate. Although it is very early in the investigation and little is known about the events leading up to the incident, this does not appear to be a random act of violence. Investigators will be processing the scene for evidence and interviewing potential witnesses.

The woman who died from her injuries has been identified as 19 year-old Leah Michelle Posey. The man who survived his injuries has been identified as 16 year-old Adan Duque.

The only suspect description at this time is two Hispanic males in their twenties, wearing dark clothing.

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

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