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HOMICIDE 6700 BLOCK EAST GOLF LINKS ROAD

At approximately 8:36 p.m. on October 18, 2013, officers from Operations Division East responded to the 6700 block of East Golf Links Road in order to investigate a report of a shooting incident that occurred at that location. Upon arrival, the officers located an adult male, who was suffering from obvious signs of gunshot trauma. Emergency medical personnel from the Tucson Fire Department also responded to the area. After assessing the victim, they transported him to a local trauma center for additional medical evaluation and treatment. His injuries were deemed to be life threatening. While at the hospital, medical staff advised that it was not likely that the victim would survive his injuries, and he was placed on life support. On the afternoon of October 22, 2013, the male victim was removed from life support and pronounced deceased. He has been identified as 31-year old Jajuan Gordon. Next of kin have been notified of his passing.

Detectives from the Gang Investigations Unit responded to the 6700 block of East Golf Links Road on the evening of October 18, 2013 in order to assist with the investigation. There were indications that at least one of the persons involved in the shooting incident had gang affiliations. The preliminary investigation indicated that Mr. Gordon had been at a bus stop in the area at approximately 8:36 p.m. While he was sitting on the bus bench, a small group of unknown males confronted Mr. Gordon. During the course of his interaction with them, one of the males took out a handgun and fired at Mr. Gordon, striking him at least once. The group of males then fled from the scene on foot, and they were last seen running in a westbound direction. Several witnesses in the area provided a wide range of suspect descriptions.

The detectives continue working to identify both the suspect(s) and motive(s) associated with the shooting incident. If you have information relating to this incident, please call 911 or 88-Crime.

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