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SHOOTING INCIDENT 1200 BLOCK WEST ONTARIO STREET

At approximately 11:17 p.m. on October 7, 2013, officers from Operations Division West responded to the report of a shooting incident that occurred in the 1200 block of West Ontario Street. Upon their arrival, they discovered that an adult male, described as an approximately 30-year old Hispanic male, was suffering from gunshot trauma. Emergency medical personnel from the Tucson Fire Department also responded to the area. They transported the male victim to a local trauma center for further medical evaluation and treatment. The male was deemed to have life threatening injuries.

Due to the fact that there was indication that at least one of the persons involved in the incident might have had gang affiliations, detectives from the Gang Investigations Unit responded as the primary investigative unit. Detectives from the Night Detectives Unit assisted them. The initial investigation indicated that an unknown number of individuals engaged in an altercation outside of a residence in the 1200 block of West Ontario Street. The confrontation escalated and shots were fired. The reasons relating to the cause of the altercation as well as information pertaining to the persons involved in the incident remain under investigation. The detectives request that anyone having information about the incident, suspect(s), or motive(s) relating to this investigation please call 911 or 88-Crime.

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