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HOMICIDE 1000 BLOCK SOUTH FREEWAY

At approximately 9:03 p.m. on November 24, 2011, the Tucson Police Department received several 911 calls about a shooting incident that occurred outside of a motel in the 1000 Block of South Freeway. Officers from Operations Division Downtown responded to the scene, arriving within approximately 2 minutes of being dispatched to the location. Upon arrival, officers located an adult male suffering from obvious gunshot trauma. Emergency medical personnel from the Tucson Fire Department responded to the location as well. Ultimately, the male was pronounced deceased at the scene. The victim is described as a **Caucasian male, approximately 45-years of age**. Next of kin notification is pending.

An area search for possible suspects was conducted, utilizing patrol officers, the Air Support Unit, and Service Dog Unit, but the suspects were not located.

Detectives from the Night Detective and Homicide Units responded to the scene to continue the investigation. The initial indication is that the victim was possibly a registered guest at the motel. An altercation ensued between the victim and unknown suspects at the motel, and one of the suspects shot the victim. At this time, the suspects, thought to be two adult males, have yet to be identified and no motive has been established.

The department urges anyone with information about this incident to call **911** or **88-Crime**.

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