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MEDIA RELEASE



CASE NUMBER: BG 24-00045
DATE: 1/10/2024
LOCATION: San Benito County, CA
TYPE: Murder

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

January 11, 2024

Shooting Homicide

San Benito County, CA - On Wednesday, January 10, 2024, at about 6:56 p.m., San Benito County Sheriff deputies responded to a person shot in the Hollister Migrant Housing Center located at 3239 Southside Road in Hollister. Arriving deputies located an adult male victim suffering from at least one gunshot wound. Upon arrival, medical aid, CPR, and life saving measures were rendered, but unfortunately the victim was pronounced deceased at the scene of the crime.

The circumstances surrounding the shooting are currently under investigation. At this time, no suspects have been identified or apprehended. No additional details regarding the events leading up to the incident are available as this is an ongoing investigation.

The identity of the victim will be released by the San Benito County Sheriff Coroner's Office after they confirm the victim's identity and notify the victim's family members. This is the San Benito County's 1st homicide of 2024. The Hollister Line Street apartment fire victims that were recently provided temporary housing at the Hollister Migrant Housing Center were not injured or harmed during this event.

The San Benito County Behavioral Health Department will be making services available to assist with any individuals who have been affected by this incident and may be contacted by calling Toll-free 24/7 Crisis Hotline at (888) 636-4020.

Anyone with information is asked to call (9-1-1). Anyone with information on this case is urged to contact the San Benito County Sheriff's Office on our anonymous tip-line at (831) 636-4084.

Or you can TEXT-A-TIP to 888777 by typing TIP SBCSO followed by your message. To sign up for NIXLE ALERTS text SBCSO to 888777 and follow the prompts.

BY: Sheriff Eric S. Taylor

DATE: 1/11/24