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*****NEWS RELEASE*****
October 17, 2016

VPD Report Number: 16-36167

Date/Time Occurred: 10/17/16 at 0009 Hours

Type of Incident: Homicide

Location: Ben Maddox / Mineral King

Name of Business (if applicable):

Suspect:

Age:

Arrested:

1. Unknown
- 2.
- 3.

Details: On 10/17/16 at 0009 Hours, Patrol Officers responded to a shots fired call in the area of Ben Maddox and Mineral King. Upon arrival into the area, Officers located two victims in a vehicle near the gas pumps at the Flyers gas station. Both victims were suffering from gunshot wounds. One adult male victim was pronounced deceased at the scene. The second victim was transported to an area hospital and is currently being treated for non-life threatening injuries. The unknown suspect(s) had fled the scene prior to Officer's arrival.

The investigation is ongoing and anyone who has information about this incident is asked to contact Det. Andrew Swarhout at (559)713-4156 or CrimeStoppers at (559)498-STOP.

Arresting / Investigating Officer: Patrol/VC

Supervisor: Sgt. Kroeze

