



VISALIA POLICE DEPARTMENT

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*****NEWS RELEASE*****
April 22, 2021

VPD Report Number: 21-032816

Date/Time Occurred: April 22, 2021 at 6:45am

Type of Incident: Assault with a Deadly Weapon

Location: S. County Center and W. Dorthea

Name of Business (if applicable):

N/A

Suspect:

Age:

Arrested:

1. Unknown
- 2.

No

Details: On April 22, 2021 at 6:45am the Visalia Police Department received multiple calls regarding a shooting in the area of S. County Center and W. Dorthea. Upon arrival officers located numerous shell casings and two vehicles that had been struck by gunfire. The investigation determined that the unknown suspect was possibly attempting to steal from a vehicle when he was confronted by the owner. The suspect began to walk away, then turned and fired a handgun multiple times in the direction of the victim prior to fleeing the area. The victim was not injured, and the suspect was not located. Anyone with information regarding this incident is urged to contact the Visalia Police Department Violent Crimes Unit at 559-713-4092. Those wishing to remain anonymous can contact the Tip Line at 559-713-4738.

Arresting / Investigating Officer: Patrol

Supervisor: Agent McEwen



