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NEWS RELEASE

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VPD Report Number: 22-006197

Date/Time Occurred: 01/24/2022 8:19 P.M.

Type of Incident: Homicide

Location: 200 block of E Houston Ave

Name of Business (if applicable):

Suspect:

Age:

Arrested:

1. Unknown

No

Details: On 01/24/2022 at approximately 8:19 P.M., officers responded to an assault with a deadly weapon in the 200 block of E Houston Ave. Officers arrived on scene and located an adult male suffering from several gunshot wounds. The victim was transported to Kaweah Health Medical Center by ambulance. Despite the efforts of Kaweah Health, the victim died from his injuries.

The Violent Crimes Unit was asked to take over the investigation. Anyone with information is asked to contact Detective Luis Berrocales at (559)713-4727. Those wishing to remain anonymous can contact the Anonymous Tip Line at (559)713-4738.

Update

The victim has been identified as 40 year old Juan Carlos Viera.

Arresting / Investigating Officer: Patrol/Violent Crimes Unit.

Supervisor: Agent Henry Martinez

