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HOMICIDE INVESTIGATION

RIVERSIDE, CA – On Friday, September 1, 2017, at about 4:28 a.m., the Riverside Police and Fire Dispatch Center received calls of a shooting that just occurred in the parking lot of the Chase Bank, located in the 10300 block of Magnolia Avenue in Riverside. When officers and paramedics arrived, they found a gray 4-door sedan still running and backed up against a tree with a male subject inside. Officers broke a rear window to gain access to the victim who suffered gunshot wounds to his upper body. He was pronounced deceased by the Riverside Fire Department at the scene.

Preliminary investigation determined the victim, a male in his late 20's, drove to the bank this morning to retrieve money from the ATM. At some point while inside his vehicle, an unknown suspect shot him and he succumbed to his injuries. Witnesses said they heard gunshots and saw two unknown subjects run across the shopping center parking lot, but there is no suspect information to provide at this time.

Detectives from the Robbery – Homicide Unit and Personnel from the Forensics Unit responded to assume the investigation. They are being assisted by the Riverside County Sheriff-Coroner. The identity of the victim is pending notification of family members and the Coroner's investigation.



This investigation is ongoing and there are no other details available at this time. If anyone has information about this incident, please contact Detective Jim Brandt at (951) 353-7137 or Detective Mike Medici at (951) 353-7104, or you send an email to rpdtips@riversideca.gov.

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