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OFFICER-INVOLVED SHOOTING INVESTIGATION

RIVERSIDE, CA – On Thursday, March 8, 2018, at about 5:35 p.m., Riverside Police Officers were conducting an investigation for a wanted subject within the 9900 block of Willowbrook Road, in the city of Jurupa Valley. Members of METRO Team (SWAT) were on a surveillance searching for a parolee wanted in connection with an assault with a deadly weapon investigation that occurred on August 26, 2017 in the city of Riverside. Around 6:30 a.m. that morning, the suspect was involved in a shooting along the 4200 block of Langston Street. He was alleged to have shot at his ex-girlfriend after an argument. The victim was not injured. Detectives were able to obtain a parole violation warrant on the suspect soon after and have been actively searching for him since.

As the officers attempted to arrest the suspect yesterday, an officer-involved shooting occurred. Life-saving measures were performed but the suspect succumbed to his injuries. No other people or officers were injured as a result of this incident.

Deputies from the Riverside County Sheriff Department's Jurupa Valley station responded and assisted our personnel. Riverside County Sheriff Department's Central Homicide Unit investigators responded and assumed the investigation. Since this is still an ongoing investigation, the identity of the suspect is being withheld at this time. As



per Riverside Police Department policy, the involved officers were placed on administrative leave.

Anyone with information about this investigation should contact RSO Investigator Johnson at (760) 393-3502, or RSO Investigator Liu of the Jurupa Valley station at (951) 955-2600.

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