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SUSPECT SHOOTS VICTIM THEN ENGAGES OFFICERS IN GUNFIGHT

Pasadena, CA – On Tuesday, November 23, 2021, at approximately 2:30 pm., Pasadena Police Department received several calls of shots fired in the area of Orange Grove Blvd. and Sunnyslope Ave. Officers arrived on scene and located a male victim, who had been struck several times by gunfire. Witnesses immediately advised officers there was a male suspect running from the scene armed with a firearm. In his attempt at escape, the suspect carjacked a vehicle from a female, but ultimately fled on foot once officers arrived. Officers gave chase, made contact with the suspect, and an Officer Involved Shooting (OIS) occurred. At one point during the incident, the suspect took a second female hostage at gunpoint. The hostage was ultimately rescued, unharmed.

The initial gunshot victim was transported to a local hospital where he succumbed to his injuries and the suspect is deceased within the crime scene. The victim was a male in his 70's and his identity is being withheld pending notification of family. The suspect was a male in his 20's.

Pasadena Police Detectives responded to the scene. The investigation is on-going and there is no further information available at this time.

Pasadena Police is urging anyone with information about this case to call the Pasadena Police at (626) 744-4241 or you may report information anonymously by calling "Crime Stoppers" by dialing (800) 222-TIPS (8477), use your smartphone by downloading the "P3 Tips" Mobile APP on Google play or the Apple App Store or by using the website <http://lacrimestoppers.org>.

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