



NEWS RELEASE

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

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**OFFICER INVOLVED SHOOTING
NO INJURIES, SUSPECTS IN CUSTODY**

PASADENA, CA – On Thursday, May 2, 2019, at approximately 10:03 p.m., uniformed Pasadena Police Officers attempted to make a traffic stop on a vehicle in the 1300 block of north Raymond Ave. The vehicle fled from the officers and a short pursuit ensued. The suspect lost control of the vehicle and crashed at Raymond Ave. and Woodbury Rd., in Altadena. The suspect vehicle spun around during this incident and faced officers that were arriving on scene.

Officers ordered commands for the driver and male passenger to get out of the vehicle, but they did not cooperate. The driver then restarted the vehicle and attempted to flee in the direction of officers. One officer discharged his weapon twice at the suspect. The suspects were then taken into custody without further incident. No officers, suspects, nor any member of the community were injured during this event.

As per our protocols, a review of the officer involved shooting has commenced.

Chief John E. Perez stated, "We stand by our officers as this incident is being investigated from the criminal, administrative, and civil standpoint. My officers were courageous in their efforts to protect the public and control a hazardous scene doing the everyday tasks you would expect from your police department. In the coming weeks, body worn camera as well as in car camera video, and other evidence will be made public for the community to review".

The suspects are identified as two 17 year old males, one residing in Pasadena, Ca. and the other in El Monte, Ca. The driver was booked into Juvenile Hall while the passenger was released to a family member.

Anyone with information regarding the incident is encouraged to call the Pasadena Police Department at (626) 744-4241 or Detective Brian Montiglio at (626) 744-4511. To provide information anonymously, call "Crime Stoppers" by dialing (800) 222-TIPS (8477) or report via 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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