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PASADENA SHOOTING - SUICIDE

Pasadena, CA – On June 30, 2023, at 1:51 PM, officers from the Pasadena Police Department responded to a multi-unit residential complex located in the 200 block of North Madison Avenue regarding a “Shots Fired” call with a victim down. Upon arrival, officers located an adult male suffering from a gunshot wound outside a residential unit. The wound appeared self-inflicted, and he was pronounced deceased at the scene.

Officers conducted a welfare check in the adjacent residential unit and located a second adult male suffering from a gunshot wound. That male was transported to a local hospital by Pasadena Fire Department Paramedics in critical condition.

The deceased male was identified as 35-year-old *Creighton Chun Ming Wong*, a Pasadena resident.

Detectives from the Pasadena Police Department’s Robbery/ Homicide Unit responded to the crime scene to commence immediate follow-up investigation. The investigation revealed the men were roommates and that Wong had shot his roommate before taking his own life moments later. A firearm was recovered near Wong.

The motive for the shooting-suicide is still under investigation.

Anyone with information about this case is encouraged to call the Pasadena Police at (626)-744-4241 or report information anonymously by contacting "Crime Stoppers" at (800) 222-TIPS (8477), 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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