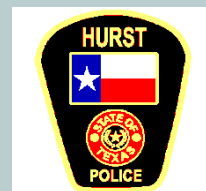


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MEDIA RELEASE

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Topic: Armed Robbery Suspects Shot

On January 8, 2015, at approximately 8:15 PM, Hurst Police responded to the 200 blk of Norwood Drive and the area of 100 blk Charlene Dr. for a shots fired call and an armed robbery incident. Information is still sketchy, however we believe this is the sequence of events as known at this time.

A vehicle had parked at the dead end of a residential street off the 100 block of Charlene and one of the male occupants exited the vehicle and walked into a dark open field bordered by a residential fence line. A resident at the end of this street became aware of the vehicle and the occupant's movements and believing criminal activity was afoot, armed himself and kept surveillance on the suspect vehicle and suspect on foot from his backyard area.

We believe the suspect on foot walked through the dark open field behind the residential area toward the 200 blk of Norwood Drive and later entered the convenience store on the corner. This suspect then held a customer and the store clerk at gun point and made a demand for money. The suspect then fled the store and traveled back through the dark open field toward the waiting vehicle at the dead end street.

The armed resident seeing this, challenged the suspect(s). We don't know specifics, but a gun fight erupted between the suspect(s) and the resident and the suspect entered into the suspect vehicle parked at the end of the street. As the suspects were attempting to flee in the vehicle, the gun fight continued. The suspects escaped the area. As Hurst units were responding to these two related incidents, the Euless Police Department received a call to respond to the 3000 blk of Sycamore Circle for a shots fired/gunshot victim call.

In Euless, the Hurst robbery/shooting suspect(s) arrived at the 300 blk of Sycamore Circle. One of the suspects sought help from residents for his gunshot wound(s). Euless Police arrived and discovered one

suspect shot and one suspect shot and deceased in the vehicle. They were able to connect their call to our active investigation and alerted the Hurst Police Department.

The Hurst resident suffered a non-life-threatening gunshot wound(s) and was transported to an area hospital by a visiting friend who was at the residence at the time of the shooting.

One suspect, located at the Euless scene, was transported to an area hospital for treatment of non-life-threatening gunshot(s) wounds.

There is no specific information available on the Hurst resident or the suspect at this time as the Hurst Police Department is continuing the investigations with assistance from the Euless Police Department.

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