



SAVANNAH CHATHAM POLICE

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NEWS RELEASE

For Immediate Release:

Police investigating overnight homicide and aggravated assault

SAVANNAH, GA (October 26, 2008 5:45 a.m.): Savannah-Chatham Metro Police detectives are investigating two unrelated incidents – a shooting at MLK and Indian just after 3:00 a.m. and the discovery of a body on the street at ACL Blvd and Gamble Road around 3:30 a.m.

In the first incident, police responded to the report of shots fired at MLK and Indian. Upon arrival, police found one man who had been shot. He was transported to Memorial University Medical Center with life-threatening injuries. Police continue to interview witnesses who were at the scene.

In the second incident, police responded to a Sick Person call at ACL Blvd. and Gamble Road. Upon arrival, police discovered the body of a young man on the roadway. He had been shot, and was pronounced dead at the scene.

Forensics officers, detectives and patrol remain at both scenes. Anyone with information about either of these crimes is asked to contact the SCMPD Violent Crimes Unit or call CrimeStoppers.

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Nothing further at this time. PIO will be in the office by noon and will provide updates as they become available.



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For Immediate Release Wednesday, January 9, 2008

Police seek information on shooting

A man who was shot and refused to cooperate with police is at Memorial Health University Medical Center recovering from his wounds.

Aki Palmer, 22, of Savannah suffered a gunshot wound to the stomach Tuesday night. Savannah-Chatham Metro Police are now seeking anyone with information on the circumstances surrounding the incident.

Metro police responded to a home in the 1200 block of East 54th Street shortly after 8:30 p.m. on a report of the shooting. When officers arrived, they found the victim alert and conscious, with his wounds. Paramedics rushed him to the hospital.

The officers canvassed the area and found evidence of a shooting in the 1100 block of East 54th Street. Detectives attempted to get details from the victim, but he refused to give his name, a motive, or any suspect information.

A witness told police that Palmer had left his home to go to a corner convenient store. He returned a short time later with a gunshot wound. Residents reported hearing the gunfire.

Anyone with information on a suspect or motive for the shooting is urged to contact detectives at 651-6728; or call CrimeStoppers.

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For Immediate Release Thursday, January 10, 2008

Police search for suspects and shooting victim



A shooting on Chatham County's westside sent one man to the hospital and police searching for a possible second victim.

Savannah-Chatham Metro Police are looking for 62-year-old Roy Williams, who was believed to be involved in a drug deal at a West Chatham trailer park when he and another man, identified as Juan Ramirez, were shot, according to witnesses.

Ramirez, 37, was one of at least five people, including Williams, inside the trailer at 4504 Ogeechee Road where the shooting originated shortly after 10 p.m. Wednesday. The shooting stemmed from a drug deal which escalated to a robbery.

Details surrounding the incident remain unclear. However, detectives learned gunfire erupted inside the trailer. During the incident, Ramirez suffered a gunshot wound to the stomach. It is unclear if he was the intended target. Paramedics rushed him to Memorial Health University Medical Center, where he is listed in stable condition.

When Metro officers arrived on the scene, they found only Ramirez with wounds. They later located several witnesses. The witnesses reported seeing at least two black males in their late teens to early 20s speeding away from the trailer park in a green Dodge pickup truck.

Detectives are waiting to question Ramirez further about the incident. Anyone with information about the shooting or whereabouts of Roy Williams is urged to contact robbery detectives at 651-6694; or call CrimeStoppers.

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For Immediate Release Tuesday, February 19, 2008

Police seek shooting suspect



Savannah-Chatham Metro violent crime detectives are asking the public's help to identify a shooting/robbery suspect. The suspect seen in the attached photo is wanted for the Dec. 18, shooting and attempted robbery of a Diamond Cab employee.

The incident happened at the corner of 35th and East Broad Street when the suspect dressed in all dark clothing demanded money from the victim at gunpoint. A struggle ensued, in which the victim suffered at least one gunshot wound.

The shooting sent the cab driver to the hospital where he has remained since the attack. Only recently released from the hospital, the victim has provided details and a description of his assailant.

The suspect is approximately 5-feet-6, 150 pounds, in his late teens to early twenties. Anyone with information on his identity is urged to call Metro's violent crimes unit at 651-6728; or contact CrimeStoppers, 234-2020.

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For Immediate Release Thursday, February 21, 2008

Violent felon shot while trying to run over police



A convicted felon wanted in connection with a string of shootings is in the hospital after being shot while trying to run over police.

Stanley Latwan Hall, 24, was wounded by gunfire in the parking lot of Memorial Health University Medical Center before escaping U.S. Marshal's Southeast Fugitive Task Force agents and Savannah-Chatham Metro Police officers shortly before 1a.m. Thursday. His wounds are not considered to be life threatening.

Agents of the fugitive task force opened fire after Hall repeatedly rammed a barricade of police cars then aimed his vehicle at officers in an attempt to run them over. Police scrambled back to their cars as Hall made his escape. They found Hall's Chevrolet Camaro abandoned in the 2200 block of DeRenne Avenue.

While searching for Hall, officers spotted a PT Cruiser speeding away from the area and subsequently arrested the driver after a lengthy pursuit. Police later identified the driver as Andre Bonds, 19, after he abandoned the car in the 1200 block of East 69th Street. He was taken to jail on drug charges unrelated to Hall's escape.

Meanwhile, Hall had managed to get a ride to St. Joseph's Hospital after eluding officers. Task force agents and police found him there and arrested him without incident. He was admitted for treatment and is under police guard. The man who drove Hall to St. Joseph's was held pending further investigation.

Hall is charged with multiple counts of aggravated assault on a police officer, felony obstruction by fleeing, criminal damage and interference with government property and other traffic violations. He also faces a parole violation. None of the officers were injured during the ordeal.

The task force, in conjunction with Central Precinct officers, had been searching for Hall since Jan. 24 when they linked him to a string of shootings throughout the city. Although the shootings resulted with no injuries and specifically targeted another man arrested weeks ago, task force agents and police continued to work jointly to locate Hall. After intelligence on Hall's whereabouts surfaced late Wednesday, agents and police converged at Memorial and awaited his arrival. When they tried to arrest him, that's when Hall plowed into the police cars, which triggered the chain of events.

The respective agencies of the agents involved in the shooting are investigating the actions of their personnel. For more information on the agencies, contact Chief Deputy Tom Morefield, U.S. Marshals Office, 429.4625.

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For Immediate Release Friday March 14, 2008

Metro officers arrests shooting suspect



A suspect sought in connection with an early morning shooting, Friday is in jail.

Savannah-Chatham Metro Police arrested 38-year-old Robert Washington at the entrance to his Oak Forest apartment complex shortly after the incident was reported. Washington shot 24-year-old Andre Whitney in front of the victim's Tibet Avenue apartment shortly before 7:30 a.m. Friday and fled the scene.

The victim was leaving to go to work as Washington waited outside the apartment with a gun. Washington opened fire, striking the victim several times, as he left to go to work. The victim drove himself to Saint Joseph's Hospital, where he remains in stable condition.

The shooting stemmed from an ongoing domestic dispute involving the victim and his roommate, who is Washington's estranged girlfriend. Police apprehended Washington after receiving a description of his vehicle and address.

He was taken into custody without incident. Detectives questioned Washington, and later booked him into the county jail. He is charged with aggravated assault.

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For Immediate Release Tuesday, April 15, 2008

Police search for shooting suspect



Savannah-Chatham Metro Police are searching for Isaac Emanuel Stevens, 25, of Savannah, on two counts of aggravated assault. Stevens, a convicted felon, shot at two people Tuesday as they sat at a bus stop near the Oglethorpe Mall.

The victims were not injured. They reported the shooting stemmed from an ongoing feud between them and the suspect. On at least one prior occasion, Stevens and the victims had fought.

The shooting occurred shortly before 11 a.m. Tuesday when Stevens rode his bicycle to the mall and accosted the victims. He warned bystanders to move before opening fire.

After firing several rounds at the victims, Stevens dropped his bicycle and fled the scene on foot. Witnesses reported Stevens running north towards Mall Boulevard. Metro officers searched the area, but did not locate him.

Detectives are asking the public's help to locate Stevens. He is 5-feet-9, 162 pounds and frequents the Paradise Park community. Anyone with information on his whereabouts is urged to call police, or contact CrimeStoppers at 234-2020.

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For Immediate Release Wednesday, May 28, 2008

Metro Police investigate domestic shooting

Savannah-Chatham Metropolitan Police are investigating a domestic dispute that sent one man to the hospital with a gunshot wound Wednesday night.

Officers were called to the 1400 block of East 53rd Street shortly after 8:30 p.m. Wednesday for a report of a shooting. When officers arrived, they found a black male suffering from a gunshot wound.

Paramedics rushed the man to Memorial Health University Medical Center, where he remains in critical condition.

Two people were taken into custody for questioning, but no charges have been filed. Investigators believe the shooting stemmed from a domestic altercation.

The shooting remains under investigation. More details will be released as they become available.

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For Immediate Release:

Police seek suspect in late night shooting

SAVANNAH, GA (June 11, 2008 4:10 p.m.): Savannah-Chatham Metro Police are seeking the public's assistance in identifying a man who shot into a car injuring a man in the parking lot of 511 W. Gwinnett Street last night around 11:30 p.m.

Police were called after the victim, Phillip Maurice Walker flagged down a Board of Education officer who was conducting safety checks at a school near May Street. When police arrived, they found a white Cadillac Deville facing west on Sycamore Street, with the driver's door open and the victim outside of the car. He was taken to Memorial Medical Center with a gunshot wound to the back.

Upon further discussions with the victim, he told police he was picking up a woman at Frazier Homes, when a man came out of the shadows. The woman left the car and the suspect began shooting. Police recovered two spent casings at the scene and two bullet holes were found in the passenger rear area of the car.

The suspect is described as a dark-skinned black man, between 5'8" and 5'10", lean build, wearing a dark mask across his face. He had dreadlocks and appeared to be in his mid-20s.

Police are hoping someone in the area may have seen the suspect in the area and hope the woman comes forward to provide additional information.

Anyone with information about this incident is asked to contact Metro Police Violent Crimes investigators at 912-651-6728 or CrimeStoppers at 912-234-2020.

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UPDATE: Early morning shootings

SAVANNAH, GA (July 19, 2008 1:25 p.m.): Savannah-Chatham Metro Police detectives have determined the two shootings that took place early this morning are not related.

The man involved in the first incident, 26-year-old Rasul Williams, has been released from hospital after being shot in the left shoulder about 4:15 a.m. The bullet did not cause a chest injury as first reported. Williams says he was driving home from the Waffle House at Eisenhower and Abercorn when he noticed a tan colored newer model Honda Accord following him. He pulled over in the Ferguson Avenue Baptist Church parking lot, and after conversation with the driver of the Honda, he was shot. Williams described the suspect as a black male with gold teeth and a medium build.

The victim of the second incident remains in hospital in critical condition. Twenty-five year old Kareem Omar Grant was shot in the head some time before 4:45 a.m. Details regarding the incident are still sketchy; however police have located the actual crime scene in the area of Wilshire and Montclair Boulevards and continue to interview the persons that were in the car with the victim. In this incident, the victim was in a car with two others when they flagged down an off-duty officer working a traffic detail near road construction on Abercorn in front of Oglethorpe Mall. EMS responded to the scene and rushed Grant to Memorial Medical Center.

Anyone with information about either incident is asked to contact Metro Police or call CrimeStoppers at 234-2020.



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Gunman charged, warrant issued for second suspect in overnight shooting

SAVANNAH, GA (August 10, 2008): Within hours of a botched armed robbery attempt that left one man with a gunshot wound to the chest, Savannah-Chatham Metro Police arrested the suspect believed to have pulled the trigger and issued a warrant for a second man. Twenty-year-old **Lawrence Laron GADSON** of Savannah has been charged with Aggravated Assault and investigators have issued a warrant for the arrest of 18-year-old **Melvin MORRELL** also of Savannah.

Around 11:30 p.m. Saturday evening, 23-year-old Willie Banfield was walking along River Street with two friends when a blue Chevy Malibu pulled up along side of them. One man got out of the car brandishing a gun and demanded that the victims give him their money. As the victims were complying, the gun was fired and Banfield was struck in the chest.

Police in the area heard the gunshot and rushed to the scene. Lt. John Best, commander of Downtown Precinct was one of the first responders on the scene and administered critical first-aid to Banfield before MedStar arrived. Banfield was rushed to Memorial Medical Center where he remains in serious but stable condition.

His two companions fled the scene but met up with police a short time later. Several Good Samaritans in the area saw the car and its occupants as the suspects tried to escape down River Street. People provided police with the make, model, color and license plate of the vehicle as well as identifying one of the suspects.

A short time later, Lawrence Gadson called police to report his car – a blue Chevy Malibu – was stolen in a carjacking that he alleges happened hours earlier that evening. Police responded to Gadson's home and transported him to police headquarters. Gadson was identified as the gunman and charged with Aggravated Assault.

The car used in this assault has yet to be recovered. Police are asking the public's assistance in locating the vehicle and Melvin Morrell. If anyone sees a navy blue 2006 Chevy Malibu with Georgia tag AAW3605 or Melvin Morell, they are urged to contact CrimeStoppers or Savannah-Chatham Metro Police Violent Crimes detectives.

Gadson was transported to the Chatham County Detention Center and is expected to be arraigned on Monday.



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SAVANNAH, GA (August 10, 2008 1:38 a.m.): One man is in hospital with a bullet wound to the chest after what appears to have been a attempted robbery around 11:30 last night near MLK and River Street.

Three men were walking along River Street when a dark colored car drove up along side of them. One suspect got out of the car, approached the victim and his two friends and tried to rob them. The suspect then shot the 23-year-old victim in the chest. The victim was rushed to Memorial Medical Center in serious condition. Metro Police swarmed the area in search of the vehicle, while Forensic officers responded to the scene. Officers are currently canvassing the area for any video footage or additional witnesses.



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Update: Camelia Court

SAVANNAH, GA (AUGUST 19, 2008): One man is in custody after Metro Police Violent Crime detectives laid charges in connection with incidents surrounding a party at a Camelia Court address early Sunday morning.

Twenty-seven-year-old **Charone Armon TAYLOR** of Savannah is facing charges of being Party to a Crime of Aggravated Assault. Three people were shot just after midnight on Sunday after disagreements at a party escalated among a group of people.

Police believe there are a number of people who attended the party that they have not spoken to yet, and detectives are asking that anyone with any information about this incident contact the Violent Crimes Unit at 912-651-6728 or CrimeStoppers at 912-232-2020.



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Shots Fired Outside of Star Castle Arcade: One Arrested

SAVANNAH, GA (August 27, 2008): Last night at around 10:20 PM numerous shots were fired outside of the Star Castle Arcade at 550 Mall Blvd. There were no injuries, however, Police have arrested 20 year old, **Andre Murshelle BODDIE** and charged him with Aggravated Assault.

Investigators from Savannah Chatham Metro Police and Chatham County Sheriff's Office were called to the scene after they had received calls that two off-duty officers were involved in an exchange of gunfire at the arcade. Both agencies worked together to determine exactly how these events unfolded.

It was determined that Boddie and two other men in the car with him, had a verbal exchange with a group of people outside of the Star Castle arcade. They stopped their car, a white Nissan Maxima, in the Darby Bank parking lot across Oglethorpe Professional Blvd. from the arcade, Boddie got out of the vehicle and fired his gun several times. Witnesses said that Boddie walked toward the crowd firing his weapon.

Sheriff's Deputy, Mackey and Metro Police officer Carr were working, off-duty, when they heard the gunshots. Deputy Mackey saw a man with a gun moving towards the crowd, where he was standing, and shooting at them. He drew his service weapon, ordered people in the crowd to "get down", literally pushing people out of the line of fire, and returned fire. The shooter, Boddie, turned around and ran back to the car and fled east on Mall Blvd. Officer Carr, while keeping the crowd safe, gave a description and direction of travel of the suspect vehicle over his radio.

Metro Police detectives, Chatham County Sheriff's Office investigators and Forensics officers worked throughout the night analyzing clues and following leads which led to the identification of the vehicle and the arrest of Boddie, the shooter. The investigation is on-going and may lead to additional arrests.



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Robbery Attempt Foiled: Three Shot, One Dead

SAVANNAH, GA (August 28, 2008): Last night at around 9:15 PM a man who had just robbed an employee of the Shop-N-Go convenience store was shot. He died from the gunshot wound and two of the store employees were also shot.

As the store was closing for the night, Mehul Patel was walking to his car, parked in front of the store, when 19 year old, **Terrence Antonio EDWARDS** ran up to Mehul, grabbed a bag from him and shot him. The bullet struck Mehul in the arm. Edwards then fled around the corner towards Yamacraw Viillage.

Three of Mehul's family members, Chris Patel, Ishwarbhai Patel, and Kushik Patel, chased Edwards to the 1100 row of Yamacraw. What Edwards did not know was that Mehul's family was also armed. Chris, who has a permit for his gun, was chasing Edwards along with Ishwarbhai and Kushik. There was exchange of gunfire between Edwards and Chris. Edwards again took off running, but this time Chris and Ishwarbhai caught up to Edwards and they began to fight over the bag that had been stolen. During the struggle, both Ishwarbhai and Edwards were shot.

All three of the injured were transported to Memorial Hospital. Mehul was treated for a gunshot wound to his left elbow. Ishwarbhai underwent surgery for an abdominal injury and was stabilized. Edwards died at Memorial Hospital.

Metro Police violent crimes detectives are currently investigating this incident. They have determined that Edwards had been identified as a person of interest in other robberies.



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Two Shot at Duffy and Jefferson Streets

SAVANNAH, GA (September 9, 2008): Metro Police responded to the intersection of Duffy Street and Jefferson Street this afternoon at around 2:00PM when police were called for shots fired.

When police arrived, witnesses said, there had been at least one person shot when numerous shots rang out. It is believed that one of the people shooting left the scene in a maroon or red Pontiac Grand Prix. While violent crimes investigators were out at the scene, police received a call from the hospital where a shooting victim had just arrived with a gunshot wound. A short time later, investigators learned that a second gunshot victim had come to the emergency room. It appears, both victims sustained non-life threatening injuries.

Police are questioning the two victims as well as any witnesses in the area of Duffy and Jefferson. We are asking for the communities help in locating anyone with information about this shooting. If you have information, please call Violent Crimes at 912.651.6728 or Crime Stoppers at 912.234.2020.



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Man Shot at Presidential Plaza

SAVANNAH, GA (September 10, 2008): Metro Police responded to the Presidential Plaza when shots were reported fired at about 9:40PM. When police arrived, a man approached one of the officers and said that he had been shot. The officer confirmed the shooting and called for EMS. The man was transported to Memorial hospital with what appeared to be a non-life-threatening injury. Numerous shell casings were found in the close proximity to the shooting victim. There was also a gun found at the scene. The victim's name has not been released. Violent crimes detectives are continuing their investigation. Further information will be available as details are pieced together.



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Man Shot in Fred Wessels Homes

SAVANNAH, GA (September 10, 2008): At around 9:25PM Metro Police responded to the 200 block of Avery Drive in Fred Wessels public housing complex after receiving a call of a shooting. When officers arrived, they located a man with a gunshot wound to his leg and numerous shell casings on the street. He was transported to Memorial hospital with a non-life-threatening injury. Witnesses in the area said they saw a dark colored vehicle and a gray vehicle fleeing the area. No victim or witness information is available at this time. Updates will be available as further information is received.



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Two Separate Shootings; Likely Drug Related

SAVANNAH, GA (September 10, 2008): Metro Police Violent Crimes detectives believe two separate shootings that occurred last night are connected and likely drug related. At around 9:25 PM, Police responded to 222A Avery Drive in the Fred Wessels public housing complex after receiving a call of a shooting. Police discovered 19 year old, Warnie BONAPARTE, shot in the leg. He said he was visiting a relative when someone in a car drove by and started shooting. He could not describe the car and he had no idea who may have shot him. A gun was found in the path that Bonaparte took fleeing from the unknown shooter. Police canvassed the area and questioned many witnesses, some of whom heard several gunshots and reported a gray colored Monte Carlo and a black car speeding away immediately after the gunshots.

At around 9:40 PM, police were called to the Presidential Plaza, when neighbors heard multiple gunshots in the area. As police arrived, 25 year old, Sylvester Harris approached one of the officers and said that he had been shot. When questioned, Harris said that he was shot by D'Quan Ferguson. He also said they were in a grey 2004 Monte Carlo, which fled the scene. EMS responded and transported Harris to Memorial Hospital. Police found a pistol at this scene also.

Investigators know that there is a family relationship between Harris and Ferguson and a history of violence between the two. Shortly before Bonaparte was shot in the first incident, police believe there was a robbery in which Ferguson played a role. Police believe this was a drug related robbery. Both shooting victims received non-life-threatening injuries.

Detectives are still investigating this incident and have established a timeline of the robbery and shootings. Police are asking the community for any information about this incident and to call Violent Crimes at 912.651.6728 or CrimeStoppers 912.234.2020.



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Police ask for help identifying aggravated assault suspect

SAVANNAH, GA (October 22, 2009): Savannah-Chatham Metro Police are asking for the public's assistance in fully identifying and locating an aggravated assault suspect who allegedly stabbed a man while he was asleep at his home in the 9400 block of Whitefield Avenue around 4:45 a.m. on October 3.

The victim, Arturo Mendez, told police he woke up that morning to someone punching him and when he turned over to see who it was, he was stabbed repeatedly in the chest and back. Police have determined that the suspect, who goes by the street name "Flaco" had been staying at the residence with the victim and two other roommates. Since the assault, police have learned "Flaco's" first name is Alehondro, but have not been able to establish a full identity, nor locate him.

"Flaco" had resided in the Whitfield Avenue trailer park on and off for more than two years, and police believe he may still be in the area.

"Flaco" is described as a Hispanic male, 5'11" in height and about 170 pounds with a slim build. He has a silver-lined front tooth and several tattoos, including the "grim reaper" on one shoulder, skull and cross bones in red on the other, and a third tattoo of a cross on his back. He may be working day labor jobs in the city.

Anyone with information on the whereabouts of this man is asked to contact Violent Crime detectives at 912-651-6728 or CrimeStoppers at 912-234-2020. Information leading to the arrest of this man could qualify a caller for a reward. Callers to CrimeStoppers may remain anonymous.



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Police continue shooting investigations

SAVANNAH, GA (October 26, 2008 11:30 a.m.): Savannah-Chatham Metro Police continue to investigate two unrelated crimes from overnight. The first incident left two men hospitalized with gunshot wounds; and the second has left a 28-year-old man dead.

Just after 3:00 a.m., police were called to the area of Indian and MLK for shots fired. Upon arrival, police found one man who had been shot. The 26-year-old was transported to Memorial University Medical Center with life-threatening injuries. A second man, a 23 year-old, with a minor gunshot wound was discovered at the scene a short time later. He was transported to the hospital with non-life threatening injuries.

Police believe the altercation began after the bars let out and a large group of people were milling around. A number of cars were driving slowly down the street and a woman accidentally bumped into one of the vehicles. Witnesses tell police passengers in the car jumped out and assaulted the woman, and other people, including the 26-year-old victim, came to her aid. At that point, a number of people drew weapons and began firing. Police have yet to determine how many shots were fired. This investigation is continuing with many witnesses still to be interviewed.

In the second incident, police were called after a city worker reported a person lying on the road at ACL Blvd. and Gamble Road at about 3:30 a.m. Upon arrival, police discovered the body of a 28-year-old man. He had suffered a single gunshot wound to the head, and was pronounced dead at the scene.

No identification was found on the body, and police had to identify the victim using fingerprints. Police will withhold the name of the deceased until next of kin have been notified.

Anyone with information about either of these crimes is asked to contact Violent Crimes detectives at 912-651-6728 or you can provide information and remain anonymous by calling CrimeStoppers at 912-234-2020. You may qualify for a cash reward.