

NEWS RELEASE



**TACOMA POLICE DEPARTMENT
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Homicide in the 1500 Block of Court G

TACOMA, Wash. – On March 11, 2020 around 3:30 p.m. a Tacoma police officer was flagged down in the 700 block of S. 16th. A passerby was reporting a fight that was occurring in a nearby alley. The officer responded to the 1500 block of Court G and located a 32-year-old male suffering from a gunshot wound to the leg. The officer called for assistance and medical aid priority. Officers applied a tourniquet and life saving measures were started. The victim was transported to a local hospital and later died of his injuries.

At this time, the only suspect description is a black male. Detectives and Forensic Specialists have responded to the scene. The investigation is active and ongoing.

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