



NEWS RELEASE

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Incident: Stabbing

Location: 400 Harbor Blvd. (Ventura Promenade)

Date/Time Occurred: 12/08/17 @ 1958 hours

Officer(s) Involved: Ventura PD Patrol

Victim(s): Male Adult, 56 years, Ventura Resident

Suspect(s): White or Hispanic Male, 20's

Report Number: 17-16349

Narrative:

On the above date, at approximately 1958 hours, the Ventura Police Department Command Center received a 911call of a stabbing that just occurred on the Ventura Promenade in the 400 block of Harbor Blvd. Officers, along with Ventura City Fire and AMR personnel responded to the call and found the victim, later identified as a 56-year-old adult male, suffering from a non-life threatening stab wound to his upper torso. He was immediately transported to VCMC for treatment of his injuries. The suspect was reportedly seen fleeing from the scene on a bike.

During the investigation, officers learned the victim was walking alone on the promenade when he was approached by a female. While the victim was speaking to the female, the suspect approached him from behind and stabbed the victim. The suspect fled and was last seen near the Crowne Plaza.

There is no additional information at this time. Anyone with information about this crime is asked to contact the Ventura Police Department at 339-4488.

An anonymous tip can be made by calling Crime Stoppers at (800) 222-TIPS.

The complete press release, including suspect description, can be viewed online at www.venturapd.org

If you have any information about this crime, you can make an anonymous call to Crime Stoppers at 1-800-222-TIPS.

If your information leads to an arrest, you could receive a cash reward of up to \$1,000.

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