

Incident: Shooting Homicide **UPDATE**

Location: 11000 Block of Mimosa St

Date/Time Occurred: 2/19/23 0045 hours.

Officer(s) Involved: Patrol, Detectives

Suspect(s): unknown

Report #: 23-10655

Narrative:

On 2/19/23 at about 0045 hours the Ventura Police Command Center received a call of a subject disturbing outside a residence in the 11000 block of Mimosa St. As officers were responding to the call the reporting party called back and stated there was now a shooting victim that was inside of their residence.

Officer arrived on scene and located the victim, a 25-year-old male, who suffered from a gunshot wound to the chest. The victim received advanced life support from Ventura City Fire and AMR and was transported to Ventura County Medical Center where he succumbed to his injuries.

The ensuing investigation revealed that there was a possible altercation in the front yard of the reporting persons residence prior to the shooting. Currently the suspect is outstanding, and the investigation is continuing.

Anyone with any information about this crime is requested to contact the Ventura Police Departments non-emergency line at 805-650-8010.

UPDATE:

The Ventura Police Department has been actively investigating this crime since it occurred. During the course of the investigation information was developed that led to the service of a search warrant today, in the 700 block of West Santa Paula St in the City of Santa Paula. During the service of that search warrant Jose Posadas (10/30/01) of Santa Paula was arrested for the murder.

He was subsequently booked into Ventura County Jail without incident. Posadas has prior convictions of weapons violations, gang violations, stolen vehicle, and resisting arrest.

This investigation is ongoing and anyone with additional information about this crime should contact Corporal Gil Pusen at 805-339-4463.

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.