



MEDIA RELEASE

Temple Police Department responds to Violent Incident

TEMPLE, TX (August 28, 2023) – The Temple Police Department responds to a violent incident involving the use of a weapon.

At around 6:19 p.m. on August 28, 2023 officers were dispatched to the 2100 block of SW H K Dodgen Loop for a violent incident. The victim had left the scene prior to the officers arrival, and responding units were dispatched to locate them.

Upon further investigation, officers made contact with the victim at Candle Suites, located at 1850 Scott Blvd. The victim was injured and taken to the hospital. The victim's injuries have been identified as non-life threatening and they are currently in stable condition.

One individual, Michael Trouten, 30-year-old male has been identified as a suspect and taken into custody, while the second person of interest remains under investigation.

This case is under investigation. Anyone with information should contact the Temple Police Department at 254-298-5500 Bell County Crime Stoppers at 254-526-8477, where callers can report anonymously. Tips can also be submitted anonymously at bellcountycrimestoppers.com.