



MEDIA RELEASE

Temple Police Department investigates a shooting, 1 deceased

TEMPLE, TX (November, 7 2024) – The Temple Police Department is investigating a shooting that left one individual deceased.

At around 8:00 a.m. on Thursday, November 7, an officer was in the area of the 400 block of W Avenue A when an individual approached the officer and advised an incident had occurred in the park. The individual gave a description of the possible suspect and car that fled from the scene, and the officer called it out over the radio. A Constable who was in the area immediately located the vehicle and the driver matching the suspects description. The Constable was able to detain the suspect. The initial officer began conducting life-saving measures on the victim.

EMS and TFR arrived on scene and continued life-saving measures. Unfortunately, the victim succumbed to his injuries. JP Wilkey pronounced time of death at 8:24 a.m. The suspect has been detained, and there is no threat to the public. The Temple Police Department Criminal Investigations Unit is on scene investigating.

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