

Troopers Investigating Shooting Incident – Dover

Dover, Delaware – The Delaware State Police are currently investigating a shooting incident that occurred during the overnight hours.

The preliminary investigation has determined the incident occurred on Monday, December 23, 2019, at approximately 1:15 a.m., as troopers were dispatched to North Governors Boulevard, in Capital Park, Dover for a shooting. During the same time, a report was received of a subject with gunshot wounds had arrived at a local area hospital. It was learned this subject was confirmed as the victim, 24-year-old male of Dover, in the shooting in Capital Park.

The investigation revealed two male victims were in a parked vehicle on North Governors Boulevard when an unknown suspect walked by and started shooting at the vehicle. The victims were able to exit the vehicle to get away from the suspect. The shooting victim was then transported to the hospital for his injuries. The other male subject in the vehicle was not injured.

The suspect has not been identified at this time.

The investigation is active and ongoing and anyone with information regarding this incident is asked to contact Troop 3, Detective S. Ryan at 302-697-4454. Information may also be provided by calling Delaware crime stoppers at 1-800-TIP-3333 or via the internet at <http://www.delaware.crimestoppersweb.com>

If you or someone you know is a victim or witness of crime or have lost a loved one to a sudden death and are in need of assistance, the Delaware State Police Victim Services Unit/Delaware Victim Center is available to offer you support

and resources 24 hours a day through a toll-free hotline 1800 VICTIM-1. (1800 842-8461). You may also email the unit Director at debra.reed@delaware.gov

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