

Troopers Investigating Shots Fired Incident- Newark

Newark- Delaware State Police are investigating a shots fired incident which took place early Sunday morning.

On April 11, 2021, at approximately 12:04 a.m., troopers responded to the ShopRite parking lot located at 19 Chestnut Hill Plaza, Newark, for a report of shots fired. The investigation determined two occupants, a 37-year-old female and a 15-year-old male were inside of their vehicle in the shopping center parking lot when a light-colored sedan drove towards the victim's vehicle and began shooting. No one was injured during the incident. The suspect's vehicle immediately fled eastbound on Chestnut Hill Road.

Troopers discovered one shell casing at the scene.

There is no suspect information at this time.

Anyone with information regarding this incident should contact Tpr. McIlmail with Delaware State Police Troop 6 by calling 302-633-5000. 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>.

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