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Murder #14

Case: 09-2320244

Date: Thursday, August 20, 2009

Time: 2:28 a.m.

Location: 2300 block Willow Street

Deceased: Francisco Iruegas (D.O.B.11-26-84) Hispanic male

Arrested: Daniel Joe Hernandez (D.O.B. 02-17-87) Hispanic male

Narrative:

On Thursday, August 20, 2009, Central East Area Command patrol officers responded to a shots fired call in the 2300 block of Willow Street. When officers arrived they found three Hispanic males that had been shot. One of the males refused EMS treatment. The other two males were transported to Brackenridge Hospital. One of those two males sustained a minor injury. The second male transported, Iruegas, was pronounced deceased two hours later.

After a preliminary investigation, it appears that the males were standing outside of a residence with other persons when a silver Honda drove up. Someone inside the Honda fired shots at Iruegas and the other two victims. The Honda fled the scene.

APD Gang and Career Criminal Unit detectives arrested Hernandez at 12:45 p.m. today at a residence in Round Rock, Texas. Hernandez is currently being interviewed by Homicide detectives. While the motive for today's shooting is not clear, there is no evidence to support that it was gang related.



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This case remains under investigation by APD Homicide and Gang detectives. Anyone with information about this incident is asked to call the Homicide tip line at 477-3588 or Crime Stoppers at 472-8477(TIPS).

Media Advisory: A Homicide Detective will be available for interview at 3:15 p.m. today at APD Headquarters. Please call APD PIO if you plan to attend.

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