



**HIGH POINT POLICE DEPARTMENT
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Chief of Police Kenneth J Shultz

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INCIDENT TYPE – AWDW 400 blk. VAIL AVENUE

HIGH POINT, NC – On Sunday, January 20, 2019, at approximately 1:40 pm High Point Police Officers responded to the 400 block of Vail Avenue after receiving a call about shots being fired in the area. A newer model sedan was believed to be involved and a subject was seen running from that vehicle. Upon arrival, officers located the unoccupied vehicle and observed several bullet holes in same. Later, HPPD learned of a single gunshot victim (B/M/38) having been transported to a local hospital. The victim was contacted by officers and provided a brief statement.

High Point Police are still in the initial stages of this investigation which includes potential witness interviews and evidence collection. No investigative details will be released at this time as the officers' work to identify responsible parties

The victim is listed in serious condition with non life-threatening injuries at this time.

High Point Police Department remain diligent in identifying those persons involved in criminal activity in High Point and holding them and their associates responsible for their actions. Anyone with information related to this investigation is asked to contact Crimestoppers of High Point at 336-889-4000.

Case Report Number(s): 2019-02861

Press Release prepared by: Capt. J. E. Beasley

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