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PRESS RELEASE

Case Number: NPD 18-002069
Date/Time: 4/18/18 at 01:30 AM
Location: 3300 block of Brittany Circle, Napa
Charges: 246 PC - Shooting into an inhabited dwelling
Offenders: Unknown

NAPA, California – On 4/18/18 at approximately 01:30 AM, Napa Dispatch received multiple calls of shots heard in the area of Brittany Circle and Westview Drive, which is located in the Browns Valley neighborhood of Napa. Responding Napa Police Officers discovered unknown suspect(s) fired multiple rounds from a rifle into a parked vehicle and home on Brittany Circle. The shooter(s) fled immediately in a four door sedan after firing the weapon.

Evidence located at the scene confirmed multiple rifle rounds had been fired into the residence and a vehicle associated with an occupant of the home. The caliber of ammunition is consistent with that of a high-powered assault rifle. The family, including a child, was sleeping inside the home at the time. No one was injured during this incident.

Evidence located at the scene also indicates that an occupant of that targeted residence is actively involved in illegal cannabis sales and it is believed the shooting is related to that criminal activity.
This investigation is on-going. We ask that any witnesses or anyone with information specific to this investigation (to include residential/commercial audio or video surveillance) please contact Detective Pete Piersig at 707-257-9514 or ppiersig@cityofnapa.org.

Although cannabis has been legalized for recreational and medical use in California, proper steps are needed to be taken to ensure you are within the law. For more information, go to the State of California Cannabis Portal.

The Napa Police Department strives to keep our city safe through strong community partnerships. Please help improve community safety by reporting suspicious incidents. Our non-emergency phone number is 707-257-9223.

Note: The California Penal Code defines section 246 as “Any person who shall maliciously and willfully discharge a firearm at an inhabited dwelling house, occupied building, occupied motor vehicle, occupied aircraft, inhabited housecar, as defined in Section 362 of the Vehicle Code, or inhabited camper, as defined in Section 243 of the Vehicle Code, is guilty of a felony, and upon conviction shall be punished by imprisonment in the state prison for three, five, or seven years, or by imprisonment in the county jail for a term of not less than six months and not exceeding one year. As used in this section, “inhabited” means currently being used for dwelling purposes, whether occupied or not.” This is a felony offense. Source: California Legislative Information.

NAPA, California - El 4/18/18 aproximadamente a la 01:30 AM, El centro de comunicaciones de Napa recibió varias llamadas de disparos en el área de Brittany Circle y Westview Drive, que se encuentra en el vecindario de Browns Valley en Napa. Los oficiales de policía de Napa que respondieron descubrieron que los sospechosos dispararon varias balas de un rifle a un vehículo estacionado y a una casa en Brittany Circle. El tirador (s) huyó inmediatamente en un vehículo sedán de cuatro puertas.

La evidencia encontrada en la escena confirmó que hubo múltiples disparos de un rifle a la residencia y un vehículo asociado con un ocupante de la casa. El calibre de la munición es consistente con la de un rifle de asalto de alta potencia. La familia, incluyendo un menor, dormía dentro de la residencia al momento de los disparos. Nadie resultó herido durante este incidente.

La evidencia localizada en la escena también indica que un ocupante de esa residencia específica está activamente involucrado en la venta ilegal de marijuana y se cree que el tiroteo está relacionado con esa actividad criminal.
Esta investigación está bajo investigación. Pedimos que cualquier testigo o cualquier persona con información específica de esta investigación (que incluya audio o video residencial / comercial) se comunique con el Detective Pete Piersig al 707-257-9514 o ppiersig@cityofnapa.org.

Aunque la marijuana ha sido legalizada para uso recreativo y médico, en California se deben tomar las medidas necesarias para garantizar que usted cumpla con las leyes. Para obtener más información, entre al Portal De Marijuana del Estado de California.

El Departamento de Policía de Napa se esfuerza en mantener nuestra ciudad segura a través de asociaciones con la comunidad. Ayude a mejorar la seguridad de la comunidad al informar incidentes sospechosos. Nuestro número de teléfono de emergencia es 707-257-9223.