



# BREA POLICE DEPARTMENT

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### **Shooting Death Investigation – SUSPECT IN CUSTODY**

Brea, Calif. - On August 30, 2023, at approximately 7:29 pm, Brea Police Department Dispatch received multiple calls about shots fired inside an apartment complex located at 650 N Tamarack Ave, Brea.

Brea officers arrived and located a shooting victim inside the complex. The victim was deceased. Brea detectives determined that the death was a homicide.

Brea detectives worked through the night, developed leads, and identified a possible suspect. That suspect was taken into custody this afternoon.

To protect the integrity of the ongoing investigation, the victim's name and the suspect's name are being withheld at this time.

For all press inquiries contact Public Information Officer, Lieutenant Chris Harvey at (714) 990-7744 or [charvey@cityofbrea.net](mailto:charvey@cityofbrea.net).

If you have information regarding this incident, contact Detective Sergeant Jason Celmer at (714) 990-7741 or [jcelmer@cityofbrea.net](mailto:jcelmer@cityofbrea.net).

**Since this is still an ongoing investigation, no additional information will be released at this time.**

Future updates will be provided through the Brea Police Department's social media pages.

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