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SHOOTING

The Fort Lauderdale Police Department is investigating a shooting that took place at approximately 1:00 A.M. on March 24th, 2012, at the intersection of Southeast 9th Avenue and East Las Olas Boulevard.

Preliminary investigation has revealed that a physical altercation took place in the 900 block of East Las Olas Boulevard between a 33 year old White male and 50 year old White male. Witnesses told detectives that the two individuals were observed physically fighting one another. At one point during the physical altercation, the 33 year old male was shot in the chest by the 50 year old male.

The 33 year old male was transported to Broward General Medical Center where he is listed in stable condition. The 50 year old male remained at the scene.

At this time no charges have been filed, as detectives are still working on gathering evidence and taking statements from witnesses and the individuals involved. Detectives are investigating the circumstances leading up to the physical confrontation and shooting.

The names of the two individuals involved are presently not being released so as to not jeopardize the criminal investigation.

This is an active investigation and detectives are urging anyone with more information regarding the shooting to contact Detective Mark Shotwell at 954-828-5517.

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