



## FORT LAUDERDALE POLICE DEPARTMENT NEWS RELEASE

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### SHOOTING

The Fort Lauderdale Police Department is investigating a shooting that occurred on Tuesday, February 9<sup>th</sup> at approximately 8:22 a.m. The incident occurred in the 2900 block of Southwest 13<sup>th</sup> Court in the City of Fort Lauderdale.

Officers were initially responding to the area regarding a report of gunshots. Upon their arrival, they heard additional shots fired in the immediate area and encountered an adult female in possession of a handgun. Officers ordered the female to drop the weapon and she complied. Officers later determined, this female was responsible for disarming the suspect during the altercation. The suspect, a different adult female, was identified and taken into custody without further incident.

Two male victims, a teen and an adult, were located at the scene with gunshot wounds. Both victims were transported to Broward Health Medical Center. The teen received life-threatening injuries and is in critical but stable condition. The adult received non-life threatening injuries, was treated and released from the hospital.

The identity of the victims will not be released at this time.

The suspect responsible for this incident has been identified as Gwendlyn Whitfield-Dorsey, B/F, 6/18/88, a resident of the City of Fort Lauderdale. Whitfield-Dorsey has been charged with two counts of first degree Attempted Murder.

The circumstances surrounding this incident appear to be domestic in nature.

This is an active and on-going investigation.

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