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RMPD Investigates Shooting Incident

Rocky Mount, N.C. – On April 30, 2022, at approximately 1:30 p.m., the Rocky Mount Police Department responded to a report of shots fired at 800 E. Virginia St. Martin Luther King Park. When officers arrived, they located two (2) shooting victims. One victim was pronounced deceased at the scene, and the second victim was airlifted to Vidant Medical Center for further treatment. The Criminal Investigation Division, Homicide Unit, is investigating the events that led to the shooting.

We ask anyone with information related to this incident to please contact the Rocky Mount Police Department at 252-972-1411, Twin County Crime Stoppers at 252-977-1111, or Text-A-Tip (Text RMPOL) and your message to CRIMES (274637), or message us directly using the MyRMT mobile app.

About Rocky Mount: The city of Rocky Mount, located in the Coastal Plains of North Carolina, was incorporated in 1867 and lies in Edgecombe and Nash Counties. Rocky Mount is a two-time All-America City on the Tar River. Serving as the Gateway to Eastern North Carolina, the city's 875 employees serve approximately 58,000 residents daily.

The city's mission is to advance community well-being, safety and quality of life by delivering excellent public services and actively collaborating with the community towards a fulfilling and inspired future for its citizens. As a publicly-owned utility, the city of Rocky Mount is committed to safe, reliable service for its customers and operates in Nash and Edgecombe counties, providing customers with electricity, natural gas, water, wastewater (sewer), refuse, recycling and/or stormwater services. To learn more, visit www.rockymountnc.gov for news and updates.

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