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MEDIA ADVISORY

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MEDIA ADVISORY: OFFICER INVOLVED SHOOTING NEWS CONFERENCE

FORT WORTH, Texas- Following the officer involved shooting that occurred on Sunday, May 19, 2024, the Fort Worth Police Department will host a news conference led by Executive Assistant Police Chief Robert Alldredge who will update the media and the community of the ongoing investigation. Relevant portions of footage will be released and will be provided in a link for the media in a formal news release at the conclusion of the news conference.

WHAT: Fort Worth Police Department Officer Involved Shooting News Conference

WHO: Executive Assistant Police Chief Robert Alldredge

WHEN: Tuesday, May 28, 2024, at 11:00 a.m.

WHERE: Fort Worth Police Department's Bob Bolen Public Safety Complex, 505 W. Felix St., Fort Worth, Texas 76115, in the Auditorium

BACKGROUND FROM ORIGINAL NEWS RELEASE: On Sunday, May 19, 2024, at approximately 8:19 p.m., a Fort Worth Police Officer from East division was alerted on a possible suspect vehicle related to a shooting near the 4800 block of Miller Ave. that took place on Saturday, May 18, 2024.

The officer was behind the suspect vehicle and prior to initiating his emergency lighting, a witness stated to investigators that the suspect pulled over and got out of the vehicle with his hands up.

As the officer started getting out of his vehicle, the suspect reached for a gun and began shooting several rounds at the officer. The officer was able to return fire as the suspect got back in his vehicle and fled the scene.

The officer was injured and believed to have been shot, but found out later at the hospital that the injuries he sustained resulted from flying debris from the patrol vehicle during the shootout.

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