



# Hampton Police Division Media Release

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**For Immediate Release**

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## **Suspect Sought in Attempt Maiming Investigation: 2000 block of Seldendale Drive**

The Hampton Police Division is seeking the public's assistance in locating Jamarl Hakeem Peeples in connection with an attempt maiming that occurred on December 7, 2013.

At 2:00 a.m., Hampton Police officers were dispatched to the 2000 block of Seldendale Drive for a shooting complaint. Upon their arrival, they discovered that the victims, a 23 and 21-year-old female that reside in Hampton, were in the first block of East Mercury Boulevard when they got into a verbal altercation with a known individual. Afterwards, the victims drove to the 2000 block of Seldendale Drive when they were approached by the same suspect that brandished a firearm and fired several rounds at them. The suspect then fled the area in a green Ford Explorer. Neither victim was injured during the incident.

**Jamarl Hakeem Peeples**, a 22-year-old Newport News man with a last known address in the 3500 block of Roanoke Avenue, has been identified in connection with this incident. He is currently wanted and has warrants on file for one count of attempt maiming, one count of use of a firearm in commission of a felony and one count of brandishing.



**Jamarl Hakeem Peeples**

**WANTED**

Anyone with information that will assist police is encouraged to contact the Hampton Police Division at **727-6111** or the Crime Line at **1-888-LOCK-U-UP**. Tipsters can also send an anonymous tip via text message to the Crime Line by texting "**HAMPTONPDTIPS plus your tip**" to **274637 (CRIMES)**. Crime Line callers remain anonymous and never appear in court. If a Crime Line call results in an arrest, the caller is eligible for a reward up to \$1,000.00.

Sergeant Jason Price will receive questions about this release at 757-727-6638.

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