



Hampton Police Division Media Release

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UPDATE- Suspect Identified in Shooting Investigation: 3800 block of Kecoughtan Road

The Hampton Police Division is seeking the public's assistance in locating the suspect in connection with a shooting that occurred on April 25, 2014.

At 5:43 p.m., Public Safety Communications received an e911 call in reference to a shots fired complaint in the parking lot of the Kecoughtan Shopping Center which is located in the 3800 block of Kecoughtan Road. Upon officer's arrival, they discovered evidence of a shooting, which included one unoccupied business (JCS Insurance) being struck. At 6:02 p.m., a 24-year-old male victim, and a 21-year-old male victim, both of whom reside in Hampton were admitted into a local hospital suffering from gunshot wounds. The 24-year-old victim sustained a gunshot wound to his lower torso and has since been released from the hospital. The second victim, a 21-year-old sustained a gunshot wound to his upper torso and remains hospitalized in stable condition. At 7:42 p.m., a third shooting victim, a 20-year-old Hampton man, was admitted to a local hospital with a gunshot wound to the upper torso and has since been released.

The preliminary investigation has revealed that the three victims and suspect, who were known to one another, were occupying a GMC Envoy when an altercation ensued and the shooting occurred. The circumstances and motive surrounding this incident remain under investigation.

The suspect, **Raghib Ismail Brooks**, a 23 year-old Hampton man who resides in the 200 block of Michigan Drive is wanted in connection with this incident. He currently has warrants on file for three counts of Maiming, six counts of Use of a Firearm in the Commission of a Felony and three counts of Robbery. He has additional warrants on file for one count of Distribution of Marijuana and one count Discharging a Firearm in Public. He should be considered **armed and dangerous**.



RAGHIB ISMAIL BROOKS

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.

Corporal Mary Shackelford will receive questions about this release at 757-727-6608.

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