

## Hampton Police Division Media Release

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**For Immediate Release** 

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Suspect Sought in Maiming Investigation: 300 Block of Michigan Avenue

The Hampton Police Division has identified the suspect that is wanted in connection with a maiming that occurred on May 27, 2013.

At 7:50 p.m., Hampton Communications received a w911 call in reference to a shooting that occurred to the rear of an apartment located in the 300 block of Michigan Drive. Upon officer's arrival, they located a 34-year-old adult male suffering from a single gunshot wound to the leg. The victim was transported to a local hospital by ambulance for treatment of non-life threatening injuries.

The investigation revealed that the suspect approached the victim, brandished a firearm and shot him. After the shooting the suspect fled the area on foot. The suspect and victim are known to each other. The suspect has been identified as **Kenneth Winston Major**, a 22-year-old Hampton man with a last known address in the 200 block of Prince George Drive. He currently has warrants on file for one count of Maiming and one count of Use of a Firearm in Commission of a Felony.



**Kenneth Winston Major** 

Anyone with information that will assist police is encouraged to contact the Hampton Police Division at 727-6111 or Crime Line at 1-888-LOCK-U-UP. 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. You can also send an anonymous tip via text message to the Hampton Police Division by texting the keyword **757HPD** and your tip to **847411 (tip411).** (Please be advised that the anonymous texting is not affiliated with Crime Line).

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

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