



Hampton Police Division Media Release

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Suspects Arrested in Maiming Investigation:

First Block of Locust Avenue

The Hampton Police Division has arrested two suspects in connection with a maiming that occurred on July 7, 2013.

At 1:09 a.m., Hampton Communications received a call in reference to a brandishing complaint in the first block of Locust Avenue. While officers were en-route, the complaint was upgraded to a shooting. Upon their arrival, they located a 30-year-old adult Hampton female suffering from a single gunshot wound to the upper torso. The victim was transported to a local hospital by ambulance for treatment of non-life threatening injuries and is currently in stable condition.

The investigation revealed that the victim was holding a gathering at her house when two unknown individuals attending the party got into a physical altercation. One of the individuals left and returned to the scene in a light colored sedan with an additional occupant. The suspects discharged rounds at the residence and the victim was struck.

On July 11, 2013, **Tamell Hakeen Paden**, a 21-year-old Hampton man with a last known address in the 1st block of Holiday Drive was charged with one count of Maiming and one count of Use of a Firearm in the Commission of a Felony. He is currently incarcerated at the Newport News City Jail on un-related charges. **Javon Antonio Parson**, a 19-year-old Hampton man with a last known address in the 1300 block of Old Buckroe Road. He was arrested and charged with one count of Maiming and one count of Use of a Firearm in Commission of a Felony and is currently incarcerated at the Hampton City Jail



Parson



Paden

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).

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

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