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MPD Officer Involved Shooting

MILWAUKEE, WI – On Tuesday, September 13, 2022, at approximately 9:06 p.m., three Milwaukee Police Officers assigned to the Tactical Enforcement Unit responded to a ShotSpotter alert in the 1500 block of N. 33rd Street.

Upon arrival, gunshots struck their marked squad car nearly hitting the officers. The officers exited their squad, engaged three suspects, at least one who was armed with a handgun, and discharged their service weapons. One suspect, a 40-year old Milwaukee man, was struck several times. Milwaukee Police Officers administered life saving measures until relieved by the Milwaukee Fire Department (MFD). He was transported by the MFD to the hospital, where he later succumbed to his injuries.

A handgun used by one of the suspects, which was equipped with a drum magazine, was recovered from the scene. The two other suspects fled on foot. Police continue to actively search for them. No officers or other members of the community were struck by the gunfire.

The officers involved are a 30-year-old male with eleven years of service, a 34-year-old male with eight years of service and a 49-year-old male with fifteen years of service.

The officers will be placed on administrative duty as is routine in officer involved incidents. The investigation is fluid and ongoing. The Milwaukee Area Investigative Team is investigating the incident and the lead agency is the Wauwatosa Police Department.

A community briefing discussing this incident will be released in the future.

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