



Media Information

Columbus Division of Police
Homicide Bureau / Homicide Unit

Date: 08/25/23

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Type of Offense/Incident: Homicide

Date: 08/24/23

Time: 5:11 PM

Location of Offense/Incident: 8300 block of Sancus Blvd.

Zone: 1

Precinct: 1

Incident Report #: 230660790

Cruiser District: 10

Victim: Alejandro Fajardo-Torres	Sex: M	Race: H	Age: 43
Victim: Adult #2	Sex: M	Race: W	Age: 18
Victim:	Sex:	Race:	Age:

Suspect:	Address:			
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Incident Summary:
On August 24, 2023, at 5:11 PM, Columbus Police officers were dispatched to the 8300 block of Sancus Blvd. on a reported shooting. Upon arrival, officers found one victim, identified as ALEJANDRO FAJARDO-TORRES, M/H/43, suffering from gunshot wounds. Columbus Fire medics pronounced FAJARDO-TORRES deceased at 5:19 PM. A second victim, identified as ADULT #2, was suffering from a blunt-force trauma injury. Westerville Fire medics transported ADULT #2 to a local hospital in stable condition.

Next of kin notification has been made. At this time, robbery is being considered as a possible motive. The investigation continues.

Anyone with information regarding this incident is asked to call Columbus Police Detective Brandt at (614) 645-4077, the Homicide Unit at (614) 645-4730, or Central Ohio Crime Stoppers at (614) 461-TIPS (8477). Detective Brandt is the lead detective on the case and is being assisted by Detective Poliseno.

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