



Rick Staly, Sheriff  
**FLAGLER COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE**  
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## NEWS RELEASE

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### **UPDATE: Name of Deceased Victim in Saturday Morning Shooting in Palm Coast Released**

The name of the deceased victim in the early Saturday morning shooting in Palm Coast is 26-year-old Deon O'Neal Jenkins (DOB 11/18/1992).

The other victim, the driver of the vehicle during the incident, is expected to survive. His identity will not be released at this time. The suspect has not been located at this time.

"This is still early in the investigation and our detectives are working hard to rebuild the timeline of events leading up to this homicide," Sheriff Rick Staly said. "We extend our condolences to his family and assure them we will not stop until the killer is arrested. Again, we do not believe that this was a random incident and we do not believe there is a threat to the residents of our community."

Anyone with information that may be helpful to detectives can email [TIPS@flaglersheriff.com](mailto:TIPS@flaglersheriff.com) or call the non-emergency line at 386-313-4911 for Case Number 2019-94911. You can also send an anonymous tip through the FCSO phone app. You can also remain anonymous by calling Crime Stoppers at 1-888-277-TIPS (8477) where you could be eligible for a reward up to \$5,000.00.

*Original News Release Below.*

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### **FCSO Investigating Shooting in Palm Coast**

The Flagler County Sheriff's Office (FCSO) received a 9-1-1 call at 3:38am from an adult male stating

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there had been a shooting in the parking lot of the Circle K convenience store located at 1500 Palm Coast Parkway. The caller notified Flagler County Communications that he and the adult male passenger in the vehicle had both been shot and that he was driving to the hospital. The suspect had fled the scene.

The dispatcher requested that the driver pull into the Palm Coast Fire Department Station 25 at 1250 Belle Terre Parkway so that first responders could render first aid. Deputies and Fire Department personnel attempted life-saving measures, however, the passenger of the vehicle was pronounced deceased. The driver of the vehicle was transported to Halifax Hospital in Daytona Beach.

“At this time we do not believe that this was a random attack,” Sheriff Rick Staly said. “We are actively piecing together the events that led up to this incident. We ask the community to send tips if they have any information that may help in this investigation.”

The suspect has not been located at this time. Additional information will be released as the investigation progresses.

Tips related to this incident can be sent to [TIPS@flaglersheriff.com](mailto:TIPS@flaglersheriff.com) or called in to 386-313-4911 noted with Case Number 2019-94911. To remain anonymous, call Crime Stoppers at 1-888-277-TIPS (8477). You could be eligible for a reward up to \$5,000.00.

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