



**The City of
Hopewell, Virginia**

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MEDIA RELEASE

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****Homicide Investigation Underway in Hopewell ****

[Hopewell, VA] – On Thursday, February 3, 2022, at approximately 8:10PM officers responded to the 800 Block of Spruce Street for the report of shots fired. Upon arriving in the area, officers located an unresponsive male party with what appeared to be gunshot related trauma. The victim was ultimately pronounced deceased by Hopewell Fire and EMS. Our Criminal Investigations Unit along with Field Services personnel continue to actively investigate the incident. A description of the offender(s) is unavailable at this time.

The Hopewell Police Department is requesting that any person(s) who may have any information to provide, to contact Lead Detective Shawn Grant of the Hopewell Criminal Investigations Unit at (804) 541-2284. Persons with information on this crime and who wish to remain anonymous may contact the Hopewell Prince George Crime Solvers hotline in Hopewell at (804) 541-2202 or provide their tip using the P3tips mobile app.

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