



SANTA CRUZ POLICE DEPARTMENT
155 Center Street, Santa Cruz, CA 95060

MEDIA RELEASE



DATE/TIME: September 22, 2015 4:22pm

LOCATION: 800 block of Ocean St.

TOPIC: Shooting Investigation

CASE NUMBER: 15S-08300

INFORMATION:

The Santa Cruz Police Department is investigating a shooting that occurred in the 800 block of Ocean St. at approximately 4:22 pm. Early indication is that it was a gang motivated shooting.

The victim is a 20 year Santa Cruz resident. He was struck in the leg. He is being transported to a bay area trauma center. There are no other victims.

Santa Cruz Officers flooded the area and detained a suspect fleeing the scene through San Lorenzo Park. The suspect was identified by a witness. At this time, there are no other suspects being sought.

Officers and Detectives are combing the area for evidence and processing the crime scene.

The Santa Cruz Police Department will update information as it becomes available.

Anyone with information is encouraged to contact the Santa Cruz Police Department Investigations Unit (831) 420-5820. Anonymous tips can also be sent to the police department through our Tip Line (831) 420-5995, or [click here](#). Tipsters can also submit an anonymous tip via our Smartphone app or from an SMS text. Visit our Website for instructions.

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