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# NEWS RELEASE

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### **Wheat Ridge Police Ask for Public's Help to Identify Shooting Suspect**

**WHEAT RIDGE, Colo. April 13, 2020** – Wheat Ridge Police are asking for the public's help to identify the suspect or suspects from the shooting that occurred at around midnight on April 12. A juvenile victim was shot in the area of Panorama Park. The juvenile managed to drive to W 33<sup>rd</sup> Ave and Chase St before crashing. Preliminary investigation indicates that the victim and suspect(s) were associated so there is minimal ongoing risk to the public. Because a suspect vehicle has not been identified and police believe the incident began at Panorama Park, anyone with video of activity on the street between Harlan and Sheridan from W. 29<sup>th</sup> to 38<sup>th</sup> Ave. between 11 p.m. on April 12 and 1 a.m. April 13 is asked to contact WRPD detectives at 303-235-2947.

#### **About Wheat Ridge Police Department**

The Wheat Ridge Police Department focuses on community policing where officers can gain skills, expand their knowledge, and become part of a team of officers and staff who know and trust each other. A department of 90 sworn and 24.5 non-sworn, WRPD serves a thriving community bordered on the east by Denver, on the west by Golden, on the north by Arvada, and on the south by Lakewood. The City of 9.5 square miles has a population of 31,000.

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