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Incident: Police Investigate Homicide on Spallin Avenue

Abbotsford – June 30, 2009.

Just after midnight on June 30th the Abbotsford Police responded to 911 calls concerning shots fired in the 30200 block of Spallin Avenue. Upon arrival police discovered a deceased male, with gunshot wounds, located in close proximity to a vehicle. A crime scene perimeter was established in the area of Spallin Avenue and Mt. Lehman Road between Downes and Townshipline Roads. The Abbotsford Police Patrol Division, Major Crime Unit, Forensic Identification Unit and the Integrated Homicide Investigation Team attended the scene and are investigating the incident.

The deceased male is a 36 year old Abbotsford resident who was known to police. Although the investigation is in the early stages this does not appear to be a random act. It has the earmarks of a targeted shooting.

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