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Incident: Update to Second Shots Fired Within Three Hours

Abbotsford – January 19th, 2016

The Abbotsford Police Departments Major Crime Unit (MCU) is continuing with the investigation into the two shootings that occurred in Abbotsford Sunday night. To date MCU Detectives have obtained CCTV footage from the surrounding area of Ridgeview Drive and are looking to identify two vehicles and their occupants seen in the area at the time of the shooting.

It is unknown at this time if the occupants had any involvement, but it is believed that they may be able to provide information pertinent to the investigation. The Abbotsford Police Department is further appealing to witnesses that may have observed these two vehicles to also contact police.

Anyone with information is asked to call the APD at 604-859-5225, text us at 222973 (abbypd) or call Crime Stoppers at 1-800-222-8477.

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CCTV Footage Available:

SUV - https://youtu.be/JFow0RHad4g

Truck - https://youtu.be/39Dtatngd4c

Release of January 18th, 2016

On Monday, January 18th, 2016 at 12:13 am, the Abbotsford Police Department received calls reporting shots fired in the 31500 block of Ridgeview Drive. APD officers arrived on scene and identified a home that had been struck by bullets. Fortunately, there was no indication of any persons being injured. Neighbours reported hearing a vehicle quickly flee from the residential street after the sound of gunfire.

The investigation cannot exclude the possibility that this shooting incident is related to other recent events. The Abbotsford Police Department is extremely concerned about potential escalating tensions and the threats to public safety that this incident could represent.

The APD is appealing to witnesses who may have witnessed any suspicious persons and or vehicles leaving the area to contact the Abbotsford Police Department at 604-859-5225, text us at 222973 (abbypd), or call Crime Stoppers at 1-800-222-8477.

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