



Oakdale Police News Release

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Stanislaus County Sheriff's Office S.W.A.T. Team Responds to Overnight Shooting in Oakdale

Oakdale Police officers are investigating an overnight shooting that led to a S.W.A.T. team response and ended with one man dead. Officers were called to a home in the 500 block of Laurel Avenue around 1:00 a.m. for a report of shots fired. When officers arrived, they found a woman suffering from gunshot wounds to the legs and pelvis. The officers quickly applied tourniquets, and she was transported to the hospital. Her condition is not known at this time. The officers discovered that the woman got into an argument with her boyfriend in a nearby home. When the man pulled out a gun, the victim jumped through a window to escape. The suspect fired several shots, hitting the woman. The victim then ran to a neighbor's home for help.

Officers set up a perimeter around the suspect's home on W. A Street, between California and Laurel Avenues while the Stanislaus County Sheriff's S.W.A.T. team moved into place. The area of B Street and Eucalyptus Avenue was also blocked off and a nearby elementary school went into lockdown.

This morning, a drone was deployed by the Stanislaus County Sheriff's Office to provide a look inside the home. The drone revealed that the suspect had died from a self-inflicted gunshot. Oakdale PD officers will remain on scene to investigate.

Oakdale Police Department would like to thank the Stanislaus County Sheriff's Office and the Ceres Police Department for their support during this incident.