

PRESS RELEASE:	OFFICER INVOLVED SHOOTING		
Agency:	Central Homicide Unit		
Station Area:	Banning Police Department		
Written Date:	February 8, 2019	Time:	8:30 AM
Incident Date:	February 7, 2019	Time:	10:46 PM
Incident Location:	1500 block of N. Blanchard St., Banning		
Reporting Officer:	Sergeant Ben Ramirez		
File Number(s):	R190390001		

Details:

On February 7, 2019, at about 11:15 p.m., the Riverside County Sheriff's Central Homicide Unit was requested to investigate an Officer Involved Shooting in the 1500 block of N. Blanchard St., Banning. At about 10:46 p.m., several Banning Police Officers arrived at a disturbance call in front of a residence. During attempts to detain the male suspect, an Officer Involved Shooting occurred. The suspect was struck by a single officer's gunfire. Medical aid was requested and the suspect was transported to a local hospital. The suspect succumbed to his injuries at the hospital.

There were no injuries sustained by the officers. There are no outstanding suspects or threats to public safety. The suspect's names will not be released at this time, pending the ongoing investigation and notification of next of kin.

This is an active investigation and no additional details are available at this time. The Riverside County Sheriff's Department encourages anyone with information regarding the incident to contact Central Homicide Investigator Manjarrez at (951) 955-2777 or the Banning Police Detective Bureau at (951) 922-3170.

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