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Update: Person Shot Yesterday at 4519 15th Avenue South

Yesterday, June 5, 2017, at 12:21 p.m., officers responded to the area of 15th Avenue South and 45th Street regarding a person shot and shots being fired. Upon arrival, they located Lewis Jeremiah Johnson, 4/22/1975, who had been shot once in the abdomen. A search of Johnson’s home at 4519 15th Avenue South led to the seizure of guns and drugs.

Major Crimes Unit detectives are still actively investigating this matter.

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Person Shot

St. Petersburg Police Department Major Crimes Unit detectives are currently investigating a person that was shot that took place in the area of 15th Avenue South and 45th Street.

At 12:21 p.m., we received calls of a person shot and shots being fired in the aforementioned area. When officers arrived on scene, they located a middle-aged man suffering from a gunshot wound to the upper body. He was transported to a local hospital where he is currently being treated for his wound(s) that are currently considered non-life-threatening.

Major Crimes Unit detectives are actively investigating this matter, and as further information is obtained or developed, updates will be provided.

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