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Shooting Investigation

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Person of Interest in Recent Homicide

Help us identify this man in the white t-shirt. He is a person of interest in Friday's homicide at the Twin Brooks Apartments parking lot. This is surveillance video from a local store.

Anyone with information regarding this case, who wishes to remain anonymous and eligible for a reward of up to \$3,000, can contact Crime Stoppers at 1-800-873-TIPS or www.crimestoppersofpinellas.org

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Shooting investigation Update- Victim ID

Shortly after 7 p.m., Friday, Sept. 1, Joshua Starkey, DOB 2-19-82, 4123 Dylan Thomas Drive, Wesley Chapel, was parked in a blue SUV in the parking lot of the Twin Brooks Apartments at 4601 22nd Ave S.

A man approached the SUV and the two men got into an altercation.

The suspect fired shots at the victim, as the SUV crashed into a concrete wall that surrounds the parking lot.

The suspect left Starkey bleeding in the parking lot and drove off in the SUV.

Starkey died of his injuries.

The SUV was found a short time later, on fire, near 5th Ave S. and 26th Street. We have no suspect description to release at this time.

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Police are investigating a shooting that occurred near the Twin Brooks Apartments, 4601 22nd Avenue South.

One man (adult) was shot and was hospitalized with life-threatening injuries.

No other information is available at this time.

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