





PRESS RELEASE

Officer-Involved Shooting in Detroit – Warren officers confronted by armed suspect linked to recent domestic violence incident

Occurred 07/08/2025 at 03:10 am; Castle Ave & Montlieu (Detroit)

The Warren Police Department would like to provide an initial update regarding an officer-involved shooting which took place early this morning (07/08/2025) at approximately 03:10 am in the area of Castle Ave and Montlieu Street in the City of Detroit. Warren Patrol Offices were involved in a shooting with an adult male suspect connected to a domestic violence incident. The suspect fired several shots at officers during a vehicle and subsequent foot pursuit. The suspect was ultimately pronounced deceased at the scene by members of the Detroit Fire Department. No officers were injured and there is no ongoing threat to the community.

The preliminary investigation has revealed that Warren Police Officers were dispatched to a residence in the 13000 block of Prospect Ave regarding a domestic disturbance. The female caller reported that her boyfriend had assaulted and strangled her before attempting to light part of the residence on fire. The male suspect fled the scene in a Chrysler sedan before officers arrived. Upon arrival on scene, officers made contact with the victim who thankfully did not sustain any serious injuries. Officers learned that the male was likely armed and had allegedly produced a handgun during a previous domestic violence incident. Through investigative techniques, officers believed the suspect was in the area of McNichols and Van Dyke, likely still inside the Chrysler sedan. Officers responded to the area and located the suspect in the Chrysler which led to a vehicle pursuit. During the vehicle pursuit, the suspect fired several shots at officers from his vehicle. In the area of Castle Ave and Kenney, the suspect exited the Chrysler and fled on foot, continuing to fire shots at officers with officers returning fire. Near a residence by Castle and Montlieu, officers located the suspect with a gunshot wound to his head. The male was pronounced deceased on scene a short time later.

Members of the Detroit Police and Fire Department responded to the scene along with members of the Warren Police Detective Bureau. This is an active and ongoing investigation from both agencies.

An additional press release will be sent out when more information becomes available.

For further information, please contact Warren Police Commissioner Eric Hawkins @ 586-574-4803