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PRESS RELEASE



Derek Williams, Chief of Police

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE: May 27, 2019

**INCIDENT: Police Seek Public's Assistance In
High School Graduation Shooting**

OCCURRENCE DATE: May 25, 2019

APPROVED: ML, DN, BR, MC

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STATEMENT:

Ontario Police investigators are seeking the public's help in an ongoing investigation of a shooting that occurred in the 100 block of West Caroline Court on Saturday, May 25th, 2019.

The victim of the shooting was identified as a 17-year-old recent Montclair High School graduate, who attended a graduation party along with his classmates and friends.

During the party, a shooting occurred where the suspect fired several rounds into the crowd. One of the rounds struck the 17-year-old victim. The victim was transported to a local hospital for his injuries and is in critical condition.

It is still unclear if the suspect knew the victim or was a guest at the party. The investigation has yet to identify a motive for the shooting.

Any information as to who the suspect may be or a description that can be provided is imperative to the investigation.

Police are asking anyone with information about the shooting or anyone who attended the party to contact the Ontario Police Department at 909-986-6711, or Detective Joe Tirre at 909-408-1862.

Information can also be reported anonymously by calling WE-TIP at (800)78-CRIME or online at www.wetipcom.