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## Police arrest homicide suspect

<u>Update (Henrico County, Va.)</u>: On Saturday, April 16, 2022, Henrico County Police took a juvenile male into custody for his role in the April 9<sup>th</sup> homicide. The juvenile teen, who's identify cannot be released due to his age, has been admitted to Henrico's juvenile detention center and charged on petitions for the following:

- Use of a firearm in the commission of a felony x 2
- Second-degree murder
- Attempted robbery
- Possession of a firearm while underage

(Henrico County, Va.): On Saturday, April 9, 2022, just after midnight, Henrico Police and Fire & EMS were called to the 1900 block of Glenwilton Drive for a shooting. Just eleven minutes after midnight, emergency dispatchers obtained information that one person had been shot outside, and the suspect fled the area.

Responders arrived on the scene to secure the area, provide aid, and EMS transported a juvenile male to a local hospital. The juvenile succumbed to his injuries sustained. The teen has been identified, along with his next-of-kin. Because of his age, the teen's identity is being withheld.

Henrico Police is now investigating a homicide, and anyone with information is asked to come forward, even if it is anonymously. "This is yet another tragic incident. Working together, we can keep our community safe. Call police if you have information.," said Lt. Matt Pecka.

If you or someone you know has information, call Detective Ensor at 804-501-5794, Crime Stoppers at 804-501-5000, or submit tips on your smartphone at P3Tips.com.

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