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Paulding Detectives Investigate Shooting on Smith Ferguson Road

(Paulding County, GA) On Tuesday June 29, 2021 at approximately 11:06 PM Paulding County E-911 received a call reference a shooting that had just occurred in the 600 block of Smith Ferguson Road Dallas, GA 30157. Deputies responded to the scene and made contact with the homeowner/victim who had been shot in the shoulder.

Not knowing if a suspect was still in the area, Deputies transported the victim to Fire/EMS personnel who were standing by at Fire Station 10. The victim was subsequently transported to a local hospital shortly thereafter. Detectives were able to determine that the victim heard some unusual noises outside his residence shortly before the shooting and he went out to investigate. When he went outside, he noticed that the door to his truck was open and it should not have been. A short time later, he heard a single gunshot and immediately felt the pain of being shot.

The victim was able to make his way back to the residence and call 911 but indicated that he did not see anyone around his home. Medical professionals indicated that the victim is expected to make a full recovery from his wound. The victim specifically requested that neither his name nor the exact address be released. Detectives are encouraging anyone who may have any information regarding this shooting to please call the anonymous Paulding County Sheriff's Office Criminal Investigations Tip Line at (770) 443-3047 or send a message via the Paulding Sheriff mobile app.