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Attempt Homicide

Date: April 13, 2022
Time: 12:25 PM
Location: Maple Street / Walnut Street, Colton
From: Lt. Ray Mendez
Case: 22-01900

Summary:

On April 12, 2022 at about 10:22 PM officers responded to the area of Walnut and Maple Streets in the City of Colton in reference to a shooting. Officers located an adult female suffering from multiple gunshot wounds. The female victim was transported to a local area hospital. The Colton Police Department Detective Division identified the suspect in this case, and a search warrant was served at his residence. During the service of the search warrant the suspect fired his weapon at officers and detectives through his front window. No officers were struck by the suspects gunfire. The Inland Valley SWAT Team was activated and responded to the scene. The suspect further barricaded himself, and eventually his apartment was breached. The suspect was found deceased in his apartment with a self-inflicted gunshot wound. The investigation is on-going and the suspects name is being withheld pending notification of kin.