



# Hampton Police Division Media Release

40 Lincoln Street  
Hampton, VA 23669



**For Immediate Release**

**August 25, 2015**

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## Homicide Investigation: 800 Block of Lasalle Avenue

The Hampton Police Division is seeking the public's assistance in identifying the suspect(s) responsible for a homicide that occurred on August 25, 2015.

At 5:09 p.m., Public Safety Communications received multiple phone calls in reference to shots fired in the 800 block of Lasalle Avenue. Upon officer's arrival, they located an adult male victim that had suffered from multiple gunshot wounds and was deceased at the scene.

The preliminary investigation has revealed that the suspect and victim got into a verbal altercation during which the suspect displayed a firearm and shot the victim. The motive and circumstances remain under investigation. The identity of the victim is being withheld pending notification of next-of-kin. The investigation is on-going. Additional information will be released as the investigation continues.

Anyone with information that will assist police is encouraged to contact the Hampton Police Division at **727-6111** or the Crime Line at **1-888-LOCK-U-UP**. Tipsters can also send an anonymous tip via text message to the Crime Line by texting "**HAMPSONPDTIPS plus your tip**" to **274637 (CRIMES)**. Crime Line callers remain anonymous and never appear in court. If a Crime Line call results in an arrest, the caller is eligible for a reward up to \$1,000.00.

Sgt. Jason Price will receive questions about this release.

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