City of HURST TEXAS



POLICE DEPARTMENT

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On Wednesday, June 2, 2021 at about 4:56 p.m., Hurst police received a 911 call of a man firing a gun in the Station 121 at Town Center Apartments, which is on the border of Hurst and North Richland Hills, adjacent to Tarrant County College. It was believed that the suspect was in North Richland Hills and their officers responded. Another caller reached Hurst dispatchers and reported a man was now in the Hurst side of the apartment complex, and he was breaking car windows with a gun in his hand.

Hurst officers responded, and the suspect was located in the parking lot, just west of Campus Drive. From an initial witness account, the suspect saw the Hurst officer and began firing his handgun at the officer. The officer returned fire, striking the suspect. The officer was not injured. The suspect was detained and transported by Hurst Fire Department Medics to the John Peter-Smith Hospital.

The shooting will be investigated by the Texas Rangers.

We will release more information as details become available.

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