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LASD Deputy Involved Shooting (DIS) on the 15800 block of Creswick Drive, Whittier (Unincorporated area).

The following information is based on facts determined from an investigation into the incident described. The investigation is ongoing and as witnesses are interviewed, evidence is analyzed and reports are reviewed, our understanding of the facts may change. The details described below accurately reflect the facts as we currently know them.

On April 9, 2021, at approximately 5:39 pm, Norwalk Station deputies received a call for service indicating there was a man armed with a knife at a residence attempting suicide and that he was under the influence of narcotics.

Deputies arrived on scene and contained the residence. They utilized the patrol vehicles' public announcement system to order the person named in the call to exit the residence. Deputies observed 27 year-old Kyle Rogers exit the residence. Rogers went in and out of the front door to the residence several times, while deputies continued to conduct announcements from their public announcement system for him to come out so they could offer him help.

At one point, Rogers came out of the residence holding a shotgun. Rogers placed the shotgun underneath his chin several times, and continued going in and out of the house. Deputies continued with announcements for him to drop the shotgun and that they were there to get him help. Once again, Rogers came out of the house with the shotgun but this time pointed it in the direction of deputies, at which time a Deputy Involved Shooting occurred. Rogers was struck by gunfire, immediately dropped the shotgun and retreated back into the residence.

A short time later, Rogers stepped outside and was detained in front of the residence. Deputies provided medical care to Rogers until Los Angeles County Fire Department paramedics arrived. Rogers was transported by ambulance to a local hospital where he received medical treatment for a gunshot wound to the torso.

There were no other persons injured in the incident.

A Mossberg 12 gauge shotgun loaded with six live rounds was recovered at the scene.

LASD Homicide investigators responded to the scene to conduct interviews, follow up and process the scene. Representatives from the Office of the Inspector General (OIG), Internal Affairs Bureau (IAB), and the Los Angeles County District Attorney's Office, Justice System Integrity Division (JSID) also responded and monitored the investigation.

Once completed, the criminal investigation will be forwarded to the District Attorney's Office to determine if the force used by the involved personnel violated any criminal laws. Once the District Attorney's Office investigation is completed, the LASD will evaluate the actions of the personnel within the application of policy, procedures and tactics.

Anyone with information regarding this incident is encouraged to call Sheriff's Homicide at 323-890-5500. Anonymous tips may be received through CRIMESTOPPERS at 800-222-8477.

***** UPDATE *****

The employees involved in the deputy involved shooting have been identified as Deputy Daisy Rosales, and Deputy Aaron Agajanian.