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Two in Custody for Overnight Shooting

Harrisonburg, Va. – The Harrisonburg Police Department has two men in custody stemming from a shooting that took place overnight.

On October 19 around 7:20 p.m., officers responded to the area of Hunters Road and Bradley Drive for the report of a male, who had been shot and was transported to the hospital in a personal vehicle.

The 18-year-old male was treated at Sentara RMH Medical Center and later transported to the University of Virginia Medical Center with life-threatening injuries.

Through the course of the investigation, three offenders were identified and two are now in police custody.

Arrests

Luis Alberto Pinedo Lafferty, Jr., 19, of Harrisonburg has been charged with attempted armed robbery, conspiracy to commit armed robbery, malicious wounding as a principal in the second degree, and the use of a firearm in the commission of a felony.

Shane Pouncey, 25, of Harrisonburg, has been charged with armed robbery, malicious wounding as a principal in the second, conspiracy to use of a firearm in the commission of a felony, and conspiracy to commit an armed robbery.

Outstanding Warrants

Omeldo Alberto Pena Pineda, 25, of Harrisonburg is wanted for armed robbery, conspiracy to commit armed robbery, malicious wounding, and the use of a firearm in the commission of a felony. He is considered to be armed and dangerous and if seen, members of the public should contact police immediately and not approach him.

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Detectives with HPD's Major Crimes Unit continue investigating this shooting and ask anyone with additional information to contact the anonymous tip line through Crime Solvers. Callers can provide anonymous tips for a monetary reward, by calling Crime Solvers at 540-574-5050. Tipsters may also text "HPD" plus the tip to CRIMES (274637).

Although the two incidents occurred within a close timeframe, the shooting last night had no known connections to the homicide that took place on October 8.



Luis Alberto Pinedo Lafferty, Jr.



Shane Pouncey

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