

Marina Police Department

MEDIA RELEASE

IDENTITY OF MARCH 26TH HOMICIDE VICTIM RELEASED

DATE OF INCIDENT:

Saturday, March 26, 2011

TIME OF INCIDENT:

10:22 PM

LOCATION OF INCIDENT:

200 Block Cypress Ave.

DEPARTMENT CONTACT:

Lieutenant Richard Janicki, PIO (831) 884-1234

The 17 year old victim in the March 26, 2011 homicide has been identified as William Turcios of Marina. Turnis died at Natividad Medical Center from a gunshot wound he suffered during a shooting in the 200 block of Cypress Avenue in Marina.

On March 26, 2011, approximately 10:22 PM, Marina Police were sent to the 200 block of Cypress Avenue on a report of shots being fired. Upon arrival, officers contacted a teenage male who said he went to check his vehicle after hearing suspicious noises and someone started shooting at him. He retreated into his home. He was not shot, but suffered a minor foot injury.

Approximately twenty minutes later two teenage males arrived at Natividad Medical Center in Salinas. One of them, Turcios, had suffered a single gunshot wound to the upper torso. Turcios was pronounced dead after efforts to save him failed.

Marina Police Department investigators continue to work this case and ask that anyone with any information contact the Marina Police Department at (831) 884-1210 or (831) 384-7575.

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