

Media Advisory
Officer Involved Shooting

Incident#: 2019-1483520
Date/Time: August 27, 2019, 6:30 p.m.
Location: 3500 East Palm Lane
Officer: Hispanic Male, 38 years old,
9 years of service
Suspect: Anastacio Pasqual Pacheco (Booking# T578502)
Hispanic Male, 32 years old, non life-threatening injury

Details:

On Tuesday, August 27, 2019 at approximately 6:30 p.m., Phoenix Police officers responded to a call of shots fired in the area of 3500 East Palm Lane. Officers contacted the caller at a nearby residence where they were reported an individual located in the backyard of a residence on East Palm Lane was shooting into the air. Responding officers located and approached the front entrance of the suspect home on East Palm Lane.

When they approached the front door of the residence, officers heard loud music coming from the suspect's home. When officers knocked on the door, the suspect opened the interior door. The officer noticed the suspect through a metal security screen door holding a long rifle. The officer immediately gave commands to the suspect who then raised the rifle in the direction of officers.

The officer fired his weapon through the metal screen door to end the threat. The suspect was not directly struck; however, he dropped the weapon and began to comply with officers' commands. He exited the home and was taken into custody. The suspect sustained non-life-threatening injuries which appeared to be from metal fragments, and was transported to the hospital for treatment before being booked into jail. No officers were injured during this incident. A lethal rifle was recovered from the suspect's doorway at the scene.

Anastacio Pasqual Pacheco was booked for Aggravated Assault on Police, a class 2 felony; Prohibited Possessor of a Firearm, a class 4 felony; and Discharging of a Firearm within City Limits, a class 6 felony.

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