



# St. Petersburg Police Department News Release



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## Update re. Officers Investigate Shooting at 1204 22 Street South

The victim in this morning's shooting has been identified as Timothy L. Witchard, DOB 08/07/1989.

It appears that Witchard became involved in a verbal altercation with two men in the area of 1204 22 Street South at around 11:15 a.m.

During the argument one of the men produced a handgun and shot Witchard once in the abdomen and then both men fled the area on foot.

Witchard was transported to Bayfront Medical Center where he was taken to surgery. It does not appear at this time that his wound is life threatening.

The nature of the altercation is not known at this point. The suspects are only described as two black males in their twenties.

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