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PRESS RELEASE - UPDATE

Downey, CA, June 13, 2017:

On Monday, June 12th, 2017, at approximately 8:15 p.m. the Downey Police Department responded to reports of a shooting in the 8800 block of Rosecrans. When officers arrived they discovered two men deceased inside First Class Car Audio at 8856 Rosecrans. Detectives have determined three armed men entered the business and attempted to rob the business owner. Gunfire was exchanged during which the business owner shot all three suspects, two of whom died at the scene. The third suspect sought medical treatment for his gunshot wounds at a local hospital and is receiving medical care. Detectives are still questioning him. The deceased men have not yet been identified.

Detectives are investigating all leads.

Anyone with information relating to this crime is encouraged to contact Detective Carlos Bejines at (562) 904-2334. If you prefer to provide information anonymously, you may call "Crime Stoppers" by dialing (800) 222-TIPS (8477), use your smartphone by downloading the "P3 Tips" Mobile APP on Google play or the Apple App Store or by using the website http://lacrimestoppers.org.

Press inquiries may be directed to Sergeant Leigh Lacy at (562) 904-2340.

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