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PRESS RELEASE

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Halloween Party Plain Street Shooting

On October 31th at approximately 2350 hrs Fall River Police Department Officers Brendan McNerney, T. Paquette and others responded to 218 Plain Street on reports of 'multiple shots fired and someone screaming'.

Upon police arrival officers found two female victims, one victim sitting at the kitchen table with what appeared to be a gunshot wound to her leg and a second victim located in the living room with what appeared to be multiple gunshot wounds to her leg. Officers secured the area and administered first aid to these victims while awaiting Fall River Fire Department Emergency Medical Technicians (EMT).

Upon their arrival, officers transferred care of the victims to the EMT's. The victims were stabilized and prepared for transport to Rhode Island Hospital. Prior to transport, officer learned that the shooting happened on the street in front 218 Plain Street. The victims stated they were leaving a Halloween party and walking towards their car when a male came up from between parked cars and began shooting at them. The shooter is described as "a male wearing all black". Both victims were treated at Rhode Island Hospital for non-life threatening injuries. Crime Scene Unit Det. J. Rose responded to collect evidence. Major Crime's detectives L. Ferreira and J. McDonald responded to assist in this investigation.

Detective J. Robinson
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