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Armed Robbery Investigation

Adams County, Colo. (March 25, 2021):

The Adams County Sheriff's Office is investigating a shooting and armed robbery that occurred in the 5500 block of Washington Street.

On March 23rd, 2021, at approximately 8:50 p.m., deputies responded to a report of an adult male with a gunshot wound at the 55 Bar at 5510 Washington Street. Upon arrival, deputies observed an adult male on the business floor with a gunshot wound to the torso. A preliminary investigation revealed that the victim was working at the El Agave liquor store at 5510 Washington Street when a suspect entered the store and attempted to rob the victim at gunpoint. The victim was shot but was able to walk into the 55 Bar before collapsing on the floor. The bar patrons rendered aid until the arrival of EMS and deputies. The suspect fled the location in an unknown direction. EMS transported the victim to an area trauma center for treatment of injuries.

The ACSO Laboratory and Crime Scene Team responded to the location to process the scene. Detectives responded to the scene and the hospital to interview witnesses, the victim, and others.

This investigation is preliminary and ongoing.

Members of the public are asked to review information provided and contact the Adams County Sheriff's Office Detective Division or [Metro Denver Crime Stoppers](#) (720) 913-STOP with any information. Tips can remain anonymous.

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