



# News Release

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## **Detectives make arrests of homicide suspects**

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Adams County, Colo. (September 23, 2021):

The Adams County Sheriff's Office report the arrest of two suspects in the homicide of Daniel Buckmaster, 32, of Denver.

On September 14<sup>th</sup>, 2021 at 2:14 a.m., deputies responded to 2054 West 76<sup>th</sup> Avenue in "The Villas" apartment complex for a report of an adult male with a gunshot wound. Upon arrival, deputies encountered an adult male in the parking lot, unconscious and unresponsive, with a gunshot wound to the torso. The victim was transported by EMS to Denver General Hospital and was later pronounced deceased.

Detectives responded to the scene along with members of the ACSO Crime Scene and Laboratory Team. Detectives conducted multiple interviews of witnesses, neighbors, additional victims in the case and examined electronic and physical evidence. Consequently, detectives developed two suspects in the case.

On September 20<sup>th</sup>, 2021 members of the Lakewood Police Department stopped the suspect vehicle based on the ACSO broadcast of the suspect vehicle description. The two suspects were taken into custody and transported to the ACSO West Patrol Substation.

On September 21<sup>st</sup>, 2021 the suspects were arrested, and multiple felony charges were submitted the District Attorney's Office for filing.

The defendants are held in the Adams County Detention Facility pending further court proceedings.

ACSO Detectives were assisted in the case by the Lakewood Police Department and members of the ACSO assigned to the ATF Regional Anti-Violence Enforcement Network (R.A.V.E.N.).

***The Adams County Sheriff's Office or North Metro Drug Task Force has determined that there is probable cause to make an arrest. The defendant(s) are presumed innocent until convicted in court. The 17<sup>th</sup> Judicial District (District Attorney) may decline to prosecute or refuse to file charges in this proceeding. Consequently, charges are often reduced, dropped or dismissed.***

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