## **NEWS RELEASE**



## FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE – December 21, 2023

## Officer Involved Shooting at Leona Dr.

Adams County, Colo. (Dec. 21, 2023):

On December 20, 2023, at 10:17 PM, Adams County Deputies were involved in a shooting at 85 Leona Dr., unincorporated Adams County. The 17th Judicial District Critical Incident Response Team is currently investigating the incident.

An adult male shot at deputies as they attempted to contact him for an active warrant from the Department of Corrections. One deputy was struck twice in the extremities and several deputies returned fire, striking the male suspect. The deputy was taken to an area hospital for medical treatment, and the male was later pronounced deceased at an area hospital.

The deputies involved have been placed on administrative leave, which is standard procedure, and any changes to their status will be determined after the investigation is completed.



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