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Press Release

Weymouth shooting victim identified – investigation ongoing

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The next of kin notification process has been completed for the man shot and killed in the parking area outside 30 Patriot Pkwy, Weymouth, in the early morning hours of Jan. 31, 2021: Eric C. Small, age 30, of Cambridge, Mass.

As was relayed by Weymouth Chief Richard Fuller and Norfolk District Attorney Michael W. Morrissey at this morning's press conference, Weymouth Police received multiple 911 calls reporting numerous gunshots in the Patriot Parkway area beginning at approximately 2:49 a.m. Responding emergency personnel located Mr. Small near one entrance to the building. Mr. Small the three other adult males were transported to hospital. Two of those three had apparent gunshot wounds and the third was transported for other medical assistance.

Braintree, Abington, and Hingham police also responded to the scene to provide mutual aid due to the circumstances, including the number of people in the area, number of victims, and unknown potential ongoing threat. The METRO-LEC mutual aid organization also deployed over 30 personnel to support WPD in dealing with the situation.

Massachusetts State Police Detectives attached to the Norfolk District Attorney's Office were also assisted in the investigation and evidence collection by members of the MSP Crime Scene Services Section.

The matter remains under active investigation by the Weymouth Police and State Police attached to the Norfolk District Attorney's Office.

Weymouth Chief Fuller also asked those who were at the party but who left before speaking to police to contact the Weymouth Police Department at 781-335-1212.