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Detectives Seek Assistance Identifying Person of Interest in June 9, 2018 Homicide

On June 9, 2018 at approximately 11:49 p.m. an LVMPD patrol officer was near the area of East Twain Avenue and Palos Verdes Street when he heard gunshots. The officer located a man down on the ground just south of that intersection suffering from multiple gunshot wounds. The man, later identified as 39-year-old Arlandus Jones, was transported to the Sunrise Trauma Center where he was later pronounced deceased.

LVMPD homicide detectives discovered surveillance video that showed Jones walk across Palos Verdes Street and approach a man and a woman who were standing in front of a power box. As Jones approached, the man shot him numerous times. Both the man and the woman fled the scene before officers arrived.

The man was described as a black male adult. The female was later identified as 25-year-old Angelica Ward and detectives are currently seeking her for questioning. The video revealed that the male and Ward had been loitering near the power box, located on the west side of Palos Verdes Street just south of Twain Avenue, for nearly 45 minutes before the shooting.

Video surveillance of the unidentified male and Angelica Ward can be seen by clicking on the following link: https://youtu.be/FDYcqwW-HUQ. A booking photo of Angelica Ward from a May, 2018 arrest accompanies this release.

Anyone with any information about this incident, or any information about the identity or whereabouts of the suspects, is urged to contact the LVMPD Homicide Section by phone at 702-828-3521, or by email at homicide@lvmpd.com. To remain anonymous, contact Crime Stoppers by phone at 702-385-5555, or on the internet at www.crimestoppersofnv.com. Tips leading directly to an arrest or indictment processed through Crime Stoppers may be eligible for a cash reward.

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