



Anchorage Police Department
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Subject: Officer Involved Shooting
Case Number: 13-14547

As many have already heard, Anchorage Police were involved in a shooting in Fairview on Friday evening that left one man dead. While the investigation is ongoing, additional details relating to the incident are now available.

Shortly after 10 PM, officers respond to the Carrs Grocery Store located at 13th and Gambell in response to a man slumped over the wheel of a vehicle. Two officers approached the vehicle and observed that the subject, later identified as Detlef Wulf, had a semi-automatic handgun. Mr. Wulf ignored a verbal command to put his hands up, and instead raised the pistol and pointed it at the closest officer. Both officers then fired at Mr. Wulf, who died at the scene.

As with all officer involved shootings, this case is under review of the Office of Special Prosecutions and Appeals. The officers' names will not be available for release until tomorrow.

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Note: A criminal charge is merely an accusation of criminal wrongdoing. All persons charged with crimes are presumed innocent until and unless proven guilty by a court of law.