MEDIA RELEASE

UPDATE: Detectives Arrest Suspect in Rock Creek Shooting

June 25, 2019

On Tuesday, June 25, 2019, at 5:02 a.m., the Washington County Sheriff's Office executed a search warrant related to a shooting that damaged a vehicle in the Rock Creek community in the early morning hours of Sunday, June 16th.

Detectives arrested Brian Toru Matsuo, 39, at his residence in the Aloha area on charges of first degree attempted assault, unlawful use of a weapon, first degree criminal mischief, and menacing.



Brian Toru Matsuo

(Original Media Release Below)

Vehicle Damaged, No One Injured in Rock Creek Shooting June 16, 2019

On Sunday, June 16, 2019, at 3:22 a.m., Washington County Sheriff's Office deputies responded to the report of a shooting at NW Rock Creek Drive and NW Landing Drive in the community of Rock Creek.

When deputies arrived, they learned that a 2007 BMW 3-series sedan had been struck by at least two gunshots. The shots penetrated the BMW's rear window and trunk. Fortunately, no one inside the vehicle was injured.

The investigation revealed that immediately preceding the shooting, the suspect and victims spoke briefly at a nearby business. The suspect complained about how the BMW had been parked.



Officers from the Hillsboro Police Department assisted deputies at the scene.

No arrests have been made. Detectives from the Washington County Sheriff's Office Violent Crimes Unit will continue to investigate.

Investigators would like to speak to anyone with information about this shooting. Please call the Washington County Sheriff's Office at 503-846-2700.

