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Case #P13-083040

Date: June 11, 2013

Location: 3476 Van Buren Blvd

(Chevron Gas Station Parking Lot)



## Suspect

Rashad Hopes, 26

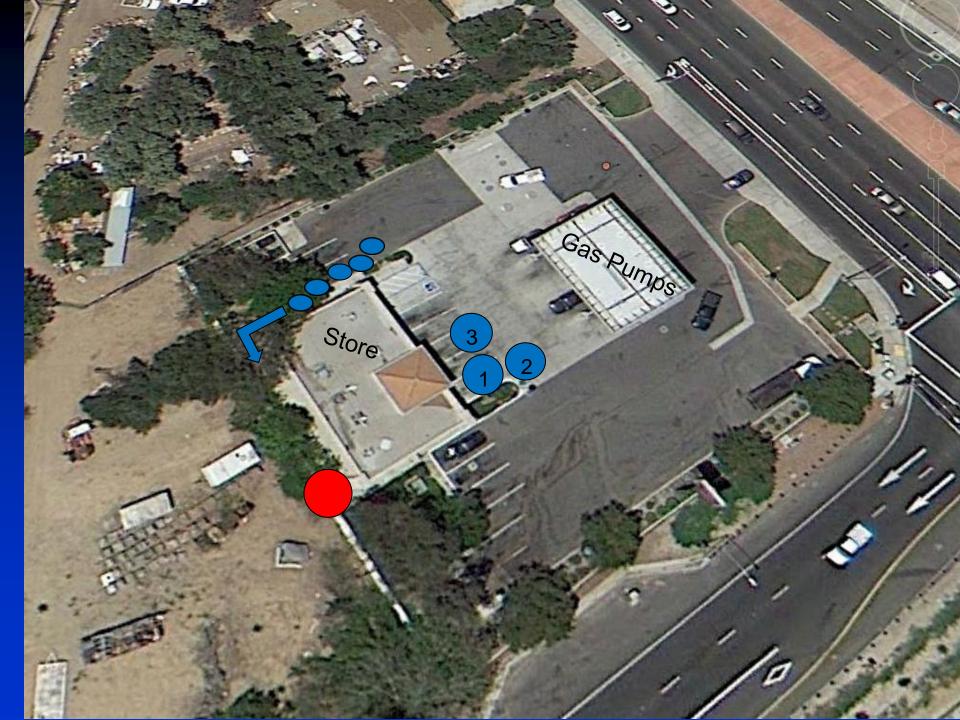




### Suspect Criminal History

- 2007: 459, 12020, 182 PC
- 2009: 243 (e) (1) PC
- 2010: 242 PC
- 2011: 23152 VC
- 2012: 14601.2 (a) VC
- 2013: 14601.5 (a) VC











#### Overview

- On Tuesday, June 11, 2013 at approximately 2259 hours, an RPD officer traveling north on Van Buren Blvd. at the 91 freeway saw a red vehicle facing west and partially blocking the center divider.
- When the officer stopped to investigate, the he saw two subjects standing near the car. One of the subjects immediately walked away toward the Chevron gas station.
- At the same time, RPD dispatch received calls regarding this car with information that the passenger of the car possessed a handgun.



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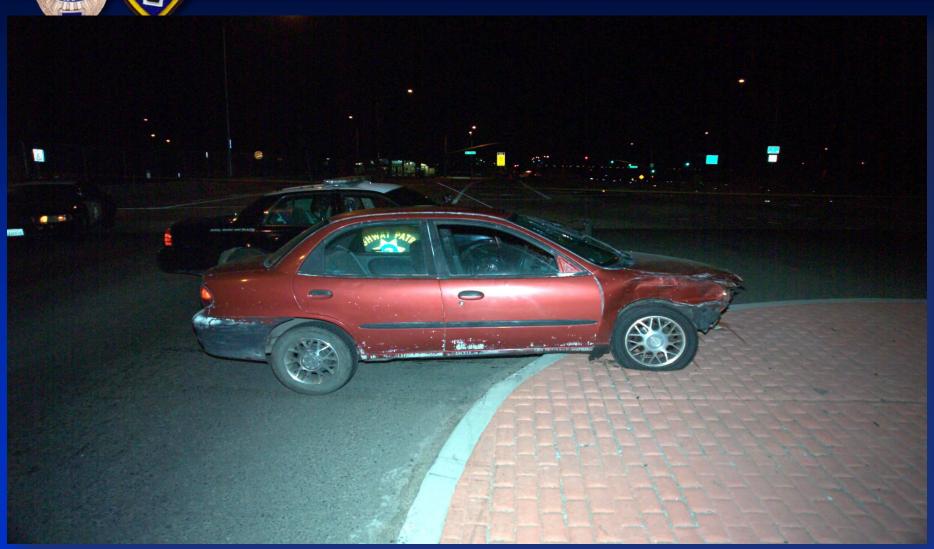
- Additional police officers were sent to the location to investigate.
- As they searched the front of the Chevron gas station, the subject was not found.
- A team of officers was assembled to safely search the rear of the building. Two officers were left in front of the business.
- As the search of the rear began, the suspect emerged from the rear of the building and moved to the front of the gas station with a handgun in his right hand.



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- The suspect faced the officers who were deployed in the front of the gas station and pointed the gun in their direction. Fearing for their life, both officers fired at the suspect.
- The suspect was struck and expired at the scene.















## Questions