

Public Information Release

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UPDATE

In less than 48 hours, detectives from the Acworth Police Department have worked tirelessly to capture all four suspects from Sunday's shooting incident. The Acworth Police Department Criminal Investigations Division has identified the shooter as Jerry Bland (21) of Powder Springs. The other three suspects involved in the shooting are Talyrica Hampton (21) of Marietta, Cornelius Harshaw (19) of Canton, and a 17 year old from Woodstock, have all been arrested and charged with aggravated assault with intent to rob (OCGA 16-5-21). Warrants have been obtained for all four suspects.

The victim Xavier Vision, remains hospitalized at this time.

ORIGINAL RELEASE

On April 28th, at approximately 5pm, the Acworth Police Department responded to the Chevron Gas Station at 3453 Baker Road, in reference to a person shot. Officers arrived to find Xavier Vision, 20, of Acworth, in a vehicle with a single gunshot wound to the jaw. The subject was transported to the hospital for non-life threatening injuries.

Detectives are continuing the investigation into the incident. Two individuals were questioned and arrested on drug charges. A third subject was detained and released. We are still working to identify the shooter. Evidence suggests that this incident is relational, revolving around a drug transaction. Anyone with any information is asked to contact the Acworth Police Department at 770-974-1232.



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Cornelius Harshaw



Talyrica Hampton

Jerry Bland was taken to Cobb County Sheriff's Office.