

# MEDIA RELEASE

## **Update: Detectives Investigating Fatal Shooting in Hillsboro**

June 20, 2020

The suspect in this case, 39-year-old Lisa Akers, was taken into custody early this morning in Grant County, Oregon.

Detectives have identified the deceased victim as 25-year-old Kara M. Ewing, of Cherry Grove. The survivor of the shooting is a 41-year-old man from Hillsboro. He remains hospitalized but is expected to survive.

### **Original Release:**

On Friday, June 19, 2020, at 7:17 p.m., Washington County Sheriff's Office deputies responded to a report of a shooting at a residence near SW Lepley Lane and SW Midway Road in unincorporated Hillsboro. A person called 911 to report that at least two adults were shot at the home and that the suspect had fled the scene.

When deputies arrived, they found one person deceased and one person with life-threatening injuries. Deputies and officers provided aid to the injured person until medical personnel arrived on scene. The injured person was taken via helicopter to an area hospital. Their current condition is unknown.

Deputies believe that all of the involved people were known to each other. The search for the suspect is ongoing.

Detectives from Washington County Sheriff's Office Violent Crimes Unit responded, along with the Washington County Forensic Science Unit.



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