

# Las Vegas Metropolitan Police Department

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## LVMPD Investigates 6th OIS of 2021

On September 21, 2021 at approximately 9:23 a.m., LVMPD officers responded to a report of a person armed with a gun in the area of Lewis Avenue and South 11<sup>th</sup> Street. Arriving officers located the suspect, who immediately fled on foot into a vacant building in the 300 block of South 11<sup>th</sup> Street. Officers treated the situation as a barricade and established containment around the building in an effort to de-escalate the situation. Additional resources responded, including crisis negotiators and SWAT. During the incident, the suspect fired his weapon multiple times indiscriminately, endangering citizens and officers in the area.

At approximately 2:33 p.m., the suspect pointed his firearm in the direction of officers prompting a SWAT officer to discharge his weapon, striking the suspect. SWAT officers approached the suspect to render aid, however medical personnel pronounced the suspect deceased at the scene. No other citizens or officers were injured during this incident.

This is the 6th officer-involved shooting of 2021. Per LVMPD policy, the identity of the officer involved will be released after 48 hours.

Captain Carlos Hank provided a media statement that may be viewed by clicking the following link: [https://youtu.be/bz\\_SE\\_LpEFY](https://youtu.be/bz_SE_LpEFY)

This is an ongoing investigation. Anyone with any information about this incident is urged to contact the LVMPD Force Investigation Team at 702-828-8452. To remain anonymous, contact Crime Stoppers by phone at 702-385-5555, or on the internet at [www.crimestoppersofnv.com](http://www.crimestoppersofnv.com)

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