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COPA PROVIDES UPDATE ON OFFICER-INVOLVED SHOOTING NEAR 1100 WEST 111th STREET

Today, the Civilian Office of Police Accountability (COPA) is providing an update related to a recent officer-involved shooting near 1100 W. 111th Street. COPA investigators immediately responded to the scene and began the investigation.

On August 11, 2023, the Chicago Police Department (CPD) notified COPA of an officer-involved shooting. Preliminary information indicates that this incident occurred when two on-duty Chicago police officers in a marked police vehicle observed a confrontation between two individuals. The officers reportedly observed one individual with a firearm in their back pocket. When the officers engaged, the armed individual fled, and officers pursued them into a residence. Inside the residence, officers gave verbal commands to drop the weapon, as they struggled over the individual's firearm. The individual and one of the officers both discharged their weapons, at which time the individual was struck and transported to the hospital where they were later pronounced deceased. A gun was recovered on scene.

COPA can confirm body-worn camera captures the initial interaction and subsequent shooting. Materials related to this incident will be posted to our website in accordance with the City's Video Release Policy within 60 days of the incident unless prohibited by court order.

If anyone has information or video footage related to this incident, please contact our office at 312-746-3609 or by visiting ChicagoCOPA.org.

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