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PRESS RELEASE:

On January 30, 2016 at approximately 3:24AM, the DeKalb and the Northern Illinois University Police Departments responded to the 1000 block of Ridge Drive reference a fight call. As officers were responding to the scene, it was reported that several shots were being fired.

Upon the officers arrival a female victim, who had been shot, was located. The victim was transported to Kishwaukee Community Hospital. The victim sustained non-life threatening injuries.

The investigation has shown that that there was a party, at an apartment, in the 1000 block of Ridge Drive, where a fight broke out. As people were exiting the apartment the fight continued in the parking lot. A male pulled out a handgun and began firing at several people. Several shots were fired. The suspect entered into a vehicle and left the area.

Investigators recovered shell casings and other items of evidentiary value at the scene of the shooting.

The suspect vehicle was located; parked and unoccupied.

Investigators searched an apartment on Lincoln Highway after the shooting. A handgun was recovered that is believed to be used in the shooting.

The shooting suspect has been identified as Maurice A. Williams. An arrest warrant has been issued for Maurice Williams's arrest. Maurice Williams is wanted for Aggravated Battery with a Firearm, Unlawful Possession of a Weapon by a Felon and two counts of Aggravated Discharge of a Firearm.

The investigation into this shooting continues.

UPDATE:

Two arrests have been made in regards to the shooting that occurred in the 1000 block of Ridge Drive.

On January 30, 2016, the DeKalb Police Department arrested Cordero Jackson, 20 years of age, for Unlawful Use of a Weapon, Obstruction of Justice and Possession of a Firearm without a FOID card.

On January 31, 2016, Maurice Williams turned himself into the DeKalb Police Department in reference to his arrest warrant. Maurice Williams, 20 years of age, was arrested for Aggravated Battery with a Firearm, Unlawful Possession of a Weapon by a Felon and two counts of Aggravated Discharge of a Firearm.

Cordero Jackson and Maurice Williams were unable to post bond and are currently incarcerated at the DeKalb County Jail.

