UPDATE

Major Crimes Unit detectives served a search warrant at the residence yesterday evening. The scene was processed and the body of the burglary suspect was turned over to the Snohomish County Medical Examiner. Detectives also seized a vehicle which may be associated with the investigation. The homeowner, who was involved in the shooting, is a 54 year old male. The burglary suspect is a 22 year old male. Preliminary information indicates the homeowner did not know the burglary suspect. Any further identification of the burglary suspect will be made by the Medical Examiner’s Office. No further information or details will be available while detectives conduct their investigation.

Death Investigation (original release January 9, 2012)

On January 9, 2012 at approximately 11:45am, Sheriff’s Office deputies responded to the 10500 block of 21 Avenue SE, Everett, on a reported burglary and shooting. Preliminary information indicates a homeowner surprised a burglary suspect inside his residence. During the confrontation, the suspect was shot and killed. Detectives from the Sheriff’s Office Major Crimes Unit are responding to the location to conduct an investigation.

No further information will be available until after Major Crimes Unit detectives complete their preliminary investigation. Any information regarding the identity of the burglary suspect will be released via the Medical Examiner’s Office.

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