



## **Snohomish County Multiple Agency Response Team**

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### **SMART Team Investigating Officer Involved Shooting in North Everett**

**EVERETT, Wash.** – Detectives with the Snohomish County Multiple Agency Response Team (SMART) are investigating an officer involved shooting of a 59-year old Arlington man that occurred at about 10:30 am today in the 1700 block of McDougall Avenue in Everett.

Everett Police officers were searching for an individual believed to be connected with [a homicide in south Everett](#) earlier in the morning. Officers spotted the suspect's vehicle heading northbound on Broadway Avenue near 18<sup>th</sup> Street. Multiple officers surrounded the suspect's vehicle on McDougall Avenue between 17<sup>th</sup> and 18<sup>th</sup> Street and reported that the suspect fired shots at the responding officers. Multiple officers returned fire. The suspect exited his vehicle and was struck with a less-than-lethal round. He was transported to Providence Regional Medical Center for further treatment, the extent of his injuries are unknown. A handgun was found on the front passenger seat of the suspect's vehicle, along with a magazine.

Six Everett Police officers and one Snohomish County Sheriff's Sergeant were believed to be involved in the incident.

The investigation is being conducted by the [Snohomish County Multiple Agency Response Team \(SMART\)](#), a team of detectives from various Snohomish County law enforcement agencies who respond to, and investigate, police use of force incidents. When the SMART investigation is complete, results will be forwarded to the Snohomish County Prosecutor's Office for review.

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