



---

## PRESS RELEASE

Pursuant to Cal Govt. Code Sect 6254(f)  
San Jose Police Department  
Press Information Office  
201 W. Mission Street, San Jose, CA 95110  
Ph (408) 277-5339 Fax (408) 286-0923

---

**TYPE OF CRIME:** Attempted Murder  
**LOCATION:** 5300 Block of Garwood Dr.  
**VICTIM:** Withheld  
**ADDRESS:** San Jose Resident

**CASE NUMBER:** 05-036-1045  
**DATE:** 2-5-05 **TIME:** 9:39PM  
**AGE:** 29

**POSSIBLE SUSPECT DESCRIPTION:** Male, unknown race, in his twenties, approximately 5'6' to 5'9" tall, thin build, light complexion, short dark hair, wearing a dark hooded sweatshirt and dark pants. (Sketch available)

**POSSIBLE SUSPECT VEHICLE:** A small dark colored two-door sedan similar to a Dodge Neon

**DETAILS:**

On 2-5-05 at 9:39PM, San Jose Police Officers responded on a call of a person shot at a residence in the 5300 block of Garwood Dr. On arrival, officers found an off-duty paramedic treating a female with several gunshot wounds. On-duty paramedics arrived and rushed the victim to Santa Clara Valley Medical Center. She had suffered several gunshot wounds but her injuries were not considered life threatening.

Preliminary investigation indicates that just prior to the shooting, the victim and a friend were talking in the garage of the residence on Garwood Dr. An unknown suspect approached on foot, stopped in the victim's driveway and then fired multiple shots into the open garage. Although the victim was struck several times and her friend was not seriously injured, it is not clear if she was the intended target since she does not live at this address. The investigator has not been able to establish a motive for this shooting.

Shortly after the shooting, a witness saw a male (described above) running away from the scene. Another witness saw a dark colored small sedan drive slowly by the residence shortly before the shooting. It is not known if that vehicle was used by the suspect.

A witness was able to provide enough of a description of the suspect for police artist Gil Zamora to complete a sketch of the suspect. We are releasing the sketch in the hope that someone might recognize this person and call our investigator. We are also asking anyone who might have seen any suspicious activity in or near the area of Garwood Dr. between 9:00PM and 10:00PM on Saturday February 5, 2005 to call the investigator. Garwood Dr. is located in South San Jose near Meridian Ave. and Dentwood Ave.

Anyone with any information on this case is urged to call Detective Bert Milliken at the San Jose Police Dept.'s Assaults Unit at 408-277-4161 or Crime Stoppers at 408-947-STOP.

BY: Sgt. S. Dixon #2650  
DATE: 3-2-05

TIME: 9:00AM

AUTHORIZED BY: Lt. Andy Galea

DATE: 3-2-05

TIME: 9:00AM

PRESS OFFICER BRIEFED BY UNIT COMMANDER (CIRCLE) **YES** NO

BY: Sgt. S. Dixon #2650  
DATE: 3-2-05

TIME: 9:00AM

AUTHORIZED BY: Lt. Andy Galea  
DATE: 3-2-05

TIME: 9:00AM

PRESS OFFICER BRIEFED BY UNIT COMMANDER (CIRCLE) **YES** NO