



**Yakima Police Department**



# **News Release**

**Subject: Tuesday Night Homicide**

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## **Man Who Was Shot Dies After Being Transported to Hospital**

At about 10:20 pm on Tuesday, Yakima police responded to a report of a gunshot victim at the Yakima Inn (1022 N. 1<sup>st</sup> Street). After arriving on the scene, officers found 43-year-old Richard Plumlee, who had received a gunshot wound to his torso.

After receiving initial treatment from officers on scene, Plumlee was transported to a local hospital. He was pronounced dead at the hospital at about 10:55 pm.

No arrests have been made at this time pending further investigation by police.

Anyone with information about these incidents is urged to contact the Yakima Police Department at (509) 575-6200 or by calling 9-1-1. Tips can be also be reported to Yakima County Crime Stoppers by phone at 1-800-248-9980, on the organization's website at [www.crimestoppersyakco.org](http://www.crimestoppersyakco.org) or through the "P3 Tips" app at <http://p3intel.com/mobileapp.htm> that can be downloaded for free.