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UPDATE ON SHOOTING AT BURNSVILLE DOLLAR TREE

The suspect in the Nov. 7 shooting at the Burnsville Dollar Tree (14101 Aldrich Ave.) has been booked into the Dakota County Jail. Charges are expected to be filed tomorrow afternoon by the Dakota County Attorney's office against **Grant David Hendrickson**, 27, of South St. Paul.

The shooting, which occurred around 12:15 p.m. on Monday, Nov. 7, claimed the life of one victim. A second victim remains hospitalized, but is expected to survive.

The Burnsville Police Department believes this was an isolated incident related to an earlier dispute, and no further risk to the public is anticipated. Investigation into the specific circumstances surrounding the shooting continues.

Initial investigation reports indicate that the victim who died was a customer in the store. Police believe he had no relation to, and was unknown by the suspect. The victim's identity was released by the Hennepin County Medical Examiner late this afternoon. Information on the victim will be available on their website at www.hennepin.us/me.

The second victim, who remains in the hospital, is believed to be an acquaintance of a store employee.

The Burnsville Police Department spoke with the families of both victims earlier today, and the families have requested privacy during their time of grieving and recovery.

The Dakota County Attorney's Office expects that a formal complaint with additional details will be released tomorrow afternoon.

Further questions regarding this case should be directed to Monica Jensen in the Dakota County Attorney's office at 651-438-4440 or monica.jensen@co.dakota.mn.us.

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