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Homicide Investigation in the 7400 block of Tacoma Mall Boulevard

Tacoma, Wash. – On February 28, at 11:23 a.m., South Sound 911 received calls of a male shot in a tent in the area of South 74 Street and Tacoma Mall Boulevard. Officers located the victim and a dog who had also been shot. Officers immediately started life-saving measures, but the male was declared deceased on scene by Tacoma Fire Department personnel.

The victim is a 26-year-old male.

Detectives and crime scene technicians responded to the scene.

This is being investigated as a homicide.

The injured dog was transported to an emergency veterinary hospital by a Tacoma Animal Control and Compliance officer for treatment of a serious injury.

The investigation is ongoing. Anyone with information is asked to call Crime Stoppers at 1-800-222-TIPS.

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