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### Homicide Arrest – 8800 block of S. Hosmer St.

Tacoma, Wash. – On July 23, at 8:50 p.m., South Sound 911 received a report of a female shot in the 8800 block of S. Hosmer St. Arriving officers located an unresponsive adult female in the driver's seat of a car who was pronounced deceased on scene.

The victim was a 42-year-old female.

Detectives identified a suspect vehicle during their investigation.

On July 25, 2022, at 2:46 p.m., officers observed the suspect vehicle and attempted a stop in the area of S. 56 St. and Tacoma Mall Boulevard. The suspect vehicle fled, striking the bumper of a vehicle stopped at a light at S. 56<sup>th</sup> and S. Alaska St. There were no injuries during the collision.

The suspect vehicle continued on a short distance to the Northbound I-5 onramp where it became disabled. The 20-year-old male driver and sole occupant of the vehicle, was taken into custody.

The 20-year-old male was booked into the Pierce County Jail for Felony Elude, Hit and Run Attended and other charges not related to the incident.

Further investigation led detectives to add the charge of Murder 1 to the 20-year-old male's charges for the homicide of the 42-year-old female on July 23, 2022.

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