

Hernando County Sheriff's Office

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Media Release

From:	Denise M. Moloney Community/Media Relations Manager, 352-797-3609
Re:	Shooting Investigation - 12211 Villa Road
Date:	November 21, 2017

On 11-20-17 at approximately 8:15 p.m., Hernando County deputies were dispatched to 12211 Villa Road in Spring Hill in response to at least two separate 9-1-1 calls. Both callers advised 9-1-1 operators that a shooting had just occurred.

Deputies arrived on scene to find a male, later identified as Brad Anthony Scott B/M DOB/03-20-1989, deceased near the front door/kitchen window area at 12211 Villa Road.

The residents of the home at 12211 Villa Road, Joseph and Karen Correa, were inside the residence at the time of the incident. In fear for their own personal safety, one of the residents shot Scott.

The shooting is an isolated incident, and there is no danger to the community. All parties involved have been identified and located by law enforcement.

The investigation continues.

Additional information will be provided as soon as it is available. At this time we are unable to provide additional information.

The Office of Sheriff:

The Office of the Sheriff is established by the Florida Constitution. As a constitutional officer, the Sheriff has the exclusive authority to administer his or her agency and is responsible for preserving the peace throughout the entire county, carrying out the laws of the state, the orders of Florida courts, and the ordinances of the Board of County Commissioners. The Sheriff is the chief law enforcement and correctional officer of the county.

Sheriff Al Nienhuis was initially appointed as the Sheriff of Hernando County by the Governor in January of 2011. He was then elected by the people of Hernando County in 2012, and remains accountable to them.