



## Hernando County Sheriff's Office

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### Media Release

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**From:** Denise M. Moloney  
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**Re:** Detectives Investigating Attempted Homicide in Spring Hill

**Date:** September 27, 2019

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On 09-27-19 just before 12:30 p.m., Hernando County deputies were dispatched to the parking lot of St. Francis Cabrini Catholic Church, located at 5030 Mariner Boulevard in Spring Hill, after receiving information that a person there had been shot.

Upon arrival, deputies located a male victim, suffering from at least one gunshot wound.

Deputies requested Hernando County Fire Rescue, who were staging nearby, move in and provide treatment, as the scene was safe.

The victim was treated on scene then transported to a local trauma center. He is currently listed in stable condition.

Preliminary investigation indicates this was not a random act of violence.

Detectives have identified a vehicle of interest in this case (pictured below). If you are familiar with this vehicle or have any information that could assist detectives in locating it and/or the driver, please contact Detective D. Kortman at 352-754-6830.

If you have information and would like to remain anonymous – Please call Hernando County Crime Stoppers at 1-866-990-TIPS (8477) or submit your tip via the internet at <http://www.hernandocountycrimestoppers.com> . You will remain anonymous and also be eligible for a reward up to \$3,000 cash!

There is no additional information available at this time. When additional information is available, we will provide updates. We are unable to release 9-1-1 calls related to this incident, as the case is still active and fluid.

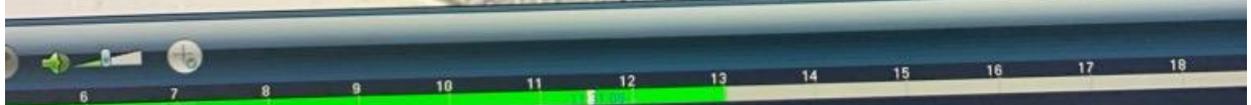
### The Office of Sheriff:

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, ran unopposed in 2016, and remains accountable to them.







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