



# NEWS RELEASE

**Prosecutor Camelia M. Valdes**  
Passaic County Prosecutor's Office  
401 Grand Street  
Paterson, NJ 07505  
(973) 881-4800

---

## SHOOTING IN AREA OF ARCH AND NORTH 1<sup>ST</sup> STREET PATERSON, NJ

---

PATERSON, NEW JERSEY:

APRIL 25, 2019

Passaic County Prosecutor Camelia M. Valdes and Paterson Police Chief Troy Oswald announce that at approximately 8:24, p.m. on April 24, 2019, members of the Paterson Police Department responded to the area of North 1<sup>st</sup> Street Paterson, NJ on a report of shots fired. Upon arrival the police located a potential crime scene in the area of Arch and North 1<sup>st</sup> Street Paterson, NJ, but were unable to locate a victim. A short time later members of the Paterson Police Department were advised that a 17-year-old male juvenile who had sustained a non-fatal gunshot wound was located in a residence in the area of North Main Street. The victim was immediately transported to Saint Joseph's Regional Medical Center in Paterson for treatment.

The investigation remains active and ongoing. More information will be released once it becomes available.

The Passaic County Prosecutor's Office asks anyone with additional information about this incident to contact us on our tips line at 1-877-370-PCPO or [tips@passaiccountynj.org](mailto:tips@passaiccountynj.org) or contact the Paterson Police Ceasefire Unit at 973-321-1342.

For media inquiries concerning this incident, contact Chief Assistant Prosecutor Seth Galkin of the Passaic County Prosecutor's Office at [sgalkin@passaiccountynj.org](mailto:sgalkin@passaiccountynj.org) or at (973) 881-4849.