

## LOWER PROVIDENCE TOWNSHIP POLICE DEPARTMENT

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**UPDATED - Press Release** 

Type: Sexual Assault Investigation Date: Sunday, September 3, 2017 Time: Approximately 11:30 p.m.

**LOWER PROVIDENCE TOWNSHIP** (September 8, 2017) - Lower Providence Township and West Norriton Township Police have worked throughout the week on the reported sexual assault from Sunday evening. The assault was reported to have occurred on Lantern Lane in Lower Providence Township and General Armistead Avenue in West Norriton Township. Detectives have completed several interviews and at this time they are certain this was not an act targeting a random victim, but was a pre-arranged meeting between the victim and alleged suspect.

Efforts by detectives continue with the hope of identifying the suspect in this incident, however they have been met with reluctance to fully cooperate from several parties being interviewed. Investigators will continue to recover video surveillance evidence, electronic data evidence and trace evidence. Local officers have been assisted by the Pennsylvania State Police and the Montgomery County Detective Bureau with those evidence recovery efforts.

Once again, anyone with information is asked to contact Lower Providence Detective Scott Dreibelbis at 610-635-3558 or <a href="mailto:sdreibelbis@lowerprovidence.org">sdreibelbis@lowerprovidence.org</a>