

## San Diego County Sheriff's Department Homicide Unit Media Information

**SUBJECT:** Murder Suspect Arrested

**LOCATION:** 8914 Delrose Avenue, Spring Valley

**DATE/TIME:** March 21, 2019 / 1:21 a.m.

VICTIM: Carlo Avila (age 27)

**SUSPECT:** Carlos Davis (age 22)

## Updated information:

A suspect in this case was arrested last night by members of the San Diego Regional Fugitive Task Force. He has been identified as twenty-two-year-old Carlos Davis, of La Mesa. Davis has been booked for murder at the San Diego Central Jail and is being held without bail.

The victim's family has been notified of his death. He has been positively identified as Carlo Avila, a twenty-seven-year-old resident of Santee. The autopsy to determine the cause and manner of his death is scheduled for today.

## Information from a prior release:

Early this morning Sheriff's deputies responded to a 9-1-1 call of a shooting in an alley behind 8914 Delrose Avenue in Spring Valley. Deputies searched the area and found an unresponsive adult male on the ground with severe injuries. Deputies began life saving measures and requested medical assistance. Deputies and medics were not able to revive the man and he was pronounced deceased at the scene.

The Sheriff's Homicide Unit responded and has assumed responsibility for the investigation. We are asking for the community's help to solve this crime. The San Diego County Medical Examiner's Office will notify the next of kin and perform an autopsy to determine the man's cause and manner of death.

Anyone with information about this incident is asked to call the Sheriff's Homicide Unit at (858) 285-6330/after hours at (858) 565-5200. You can also remain anonymous by calling Crime Stoppers at (888) 580-8477.

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