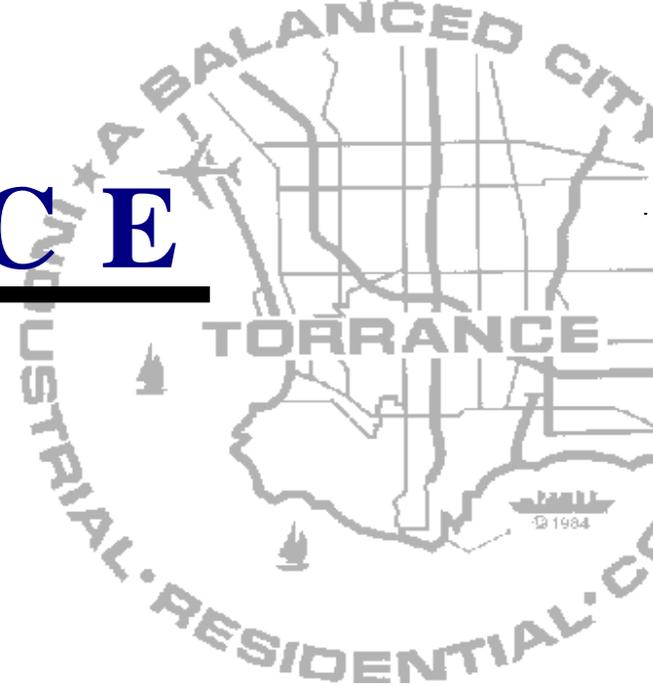


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## **Officer Involved Shooting/Pursuit** **DR# 05-11126**

On July 20, 2005 the Torrance Police Department received information that there was a robbery suspect possibly on his way to Torrance. Upon receiving the information field units were given the suspect and suspect vehicle description.

On July 20, 2005 at approximately 3:00 PM, undercover officers observed the suspect vehicle in an unincorporated area of Torrance. A short pursuit ensued ending with the suspect crashing on 228<sup>th</sup> Street east of Normandie Avenue. The suspect exited his vehicle and fled north through Shimmick Auto Recycling. The officers pursued the suspect and, during the foot chase, an officer involved shooting took place. The suspect was treated by paramedics and transported to Harbor General Hospital where he was pronounced deceased.

The suspect was Craig, Robert Noble, 26 years old from the Harbor City area. He was a parolee at large and wanted in a connection of armed robberies in the South Bay and Orange County.

The investigation continues under the direction of the Investigative Division Commander Lieutenant Mike Paolozzi.

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