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County Police Investigating North Braddock Borough Homicide

North Braddock, Allegheny County – Yesterday evening, December 30, 2018, at approximately 6:45 p.m., the North Braddock police were alerted to a shooting in the 700 block of Hawkins Avenue. Witnesses described a person shooting from a white SUV and another person on foot. North Braddock Police responded and checked the area, but they did not find anything at that time.

This morning, December 31, 2018, at approximately 8:40 a.m., a caller phoned 9-1-1 to report a man lying in the grass behind a residence in the 700 block of Hawkins Avenue. Police and paramedics responded and found a male laying underneath a large grill suffering from gunshot wounds. He was pronounced dead at the scene. He was positively identified as an 18-year-old male from that neighborhood.

Detectives from the Allegheny County Police Homicide Unit responded to the scene. At this point in the investigation, it is unclear what the motive was for the shooting.

Anyone with information concerning this incident is asked to call the Allegheny County Police Tipline at **1-833-ALL-TIPS** (1-833-255-8477); callers can remain anonymous. The department can also be reached via its social media sites.

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