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Homicide

New Braunfels, Texas — The New Braunfels Police Department is actively investigating a homicide that occurred during the early morning hours of today's date (Oct. 13, 2015).

At approximately 2:25am, officers on routine patrol in the area of I-35 and Ruekle Road spotted a suspicious vehicle that was stopped in the middle of the parking lot of Pit Stop #2 (3200 block of I-35 South - northbound frontage road). Officers approached the vehicle and observed that the engine was still running and the male driver was slumped over in the driver's seat, possibly asleep or passed out. After several unsuccessful attempts were made to wake the man, it was determined that he was not breathing so officers pulled him from the vehicle and began life saving measures. That was when it was discovered that the man had been shot. New Braunfels Fire and EMS units on scene then determined that the victim was deceased. He has since been identified as 43-year old Domingo Perez Jr. of New Braunfels and next of kin has been notified.

New Braunfels Police detectives were called to the scene to begin a homicide investigation. They are currently interviewing witnesses, following up on leads, and searching for evidence. As part of that ongoing investigation, an arrest warrant for Murder has been issued for 23-year old Federico Trejo Jr. and bond has been set at \$500,000.

If you have information about the whereabouts of Trejo, or other information that could be helpful to the ongoing homicide investigation, call NBPD or leave an anonymous tip with Comal County Crime Stoppers, which is offering a reward of up to \$5,000 for information that leads to an arrest and/or grand jury indictment. That reward is only valid for the next 30 days and will expire on Nov. 12, 2015. To remain anonymous and to collect the reward, contact Crime Stoppers at 830-620-TIPS (8477), leave a tip online at <http://comalcrimestoppers.org/>, or text a tip by texting "Comal" plus your message to CRIMES (274637). To contact New Braunfels Police directly, call 830-221-4100.

{Photos attached: Driver's License photo of suspect and victim}

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