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Update – Stanwood Death Investigation

On March 10, 2012 at approximately 3:25pm, Stanwood Police Department responded to a shooting incident near the 10200 block of SR532, Stanwood, WA. Preliminary investigation revealed a young child in a vehicle had discharged a firearm striking another child in the vehicle. The victim, 7 year old Jenna Carlile of Camano Island, Washington was transported to Providence Colby Campus, then to Harborview Medical Center in Seattle where passed away on March 11th. The Snohomish County Medical Examiner's Office determined the cause of death was a gunshot wound to the torso and classified her death as a homicide.

Detectives with the Sheriff's Office Major Crimes Unit continue their investigation into this death. There were four children, one male and three females all under the age of seven, in the vehicle at the time of the shooting. All the children were members of the Carlile family. The Sheriff's Office isn't releasing information regarding which child was specifically involved in the shooting. Also, we are able to release that the weapon involved in the shooting was personally owned by the father of the children.

Once detectives have finished their investigative efforts, the case packet will be forwarded to the Snohomish County Prosecutor's Office for review to determine if any criminal charges are warranted.

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