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Columbia Police Searching for Shooting Suspect

Columbia Police are searching for a suspect involved in a shooting on Wednesday, April 23, 2008 @ 11:18 PM at 921 Marlboro Street.

The suspect, Rachawn De'Aundre McDaniel (DOB: 3/12/89) and victim engaged in a verbal confrontation. During the argument, McDaniel produced a small caliber pistol and shot the victim once. McDaniel attempted to shoot the victim two more times as he fled the scene. The victim ran from the complex and collapsed on River Drive.

The shooting was witnessed by area residents who assisted police with McDaniel's identification. The victim remains hospitalized in serious condition.

Columbia Police are asking for the public's assistance in locating McDaniel. If anyone has information pertaining to McDaniel's whereabouts please contact Crimestoppers at (888) 559-TIPS or the Columbia Police Department at (803) 545-3500.



Rachawn De'Aundre McDaniel

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DOB: 3/12/1989

HT: 5'6", WT: 140

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