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Murder Suicide

On July 28, 2007 at 9:46 am, LBPD officers responded to the commercial building at 150 West G St, regarding gunshots fired with a subject down. Officers arrived to find that one victim, age 41, had been shot in the shoulder during a struggle with the 51 year old suspect. A second victim, 46 years old, was found on the ground of the business; he was pronounced dead on scene from gunshot wounds to the chest fired from a .357 caliber pistol.

The suspect fled the scene and was identified as the shop owner to the adjacent business to the victims. The suspect was later found deceased near Highway 33 outside of Gustine from an apparent self inflicted gunshot wound.

“Our thoughts go out to the families of those involved in this tragedy.”

-Los Banos Police Chief Chris Gallagher