

## Fayette County Sheriff's Office

Wayne Hannah, Sheriff

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## **Press Information**

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On March 12, 2011 at approximately 7:40 PM Fayette County Sheriff's Deputies responded to a person shot at Hwy 138 near the Clayton County line. As deputies arrived at the incident location they learned that a 56 year man had been physically assaulted by two (2) suspects and shot in the abdomen.

A witness who was at the scene gave a physical description of the two (2) suspects as both being black males, approximately 18-25 years old, both wearing blue jeans which were slightly rolled up at the bottom, and both were not wearing shirts. The witness said one of the suspects was approximately six foot (6'00) tall while the other was suspect was shorter in height. The witness told the responding deputies that the two (2) suspects fled on foot from the incident location westbound on Hwy 138 where they were last seen running south on Commerce Street in Fayette County.

Fayette County K-9 with the assistance of Hawk One of the Fayette County aviation section attempted to track the suspects on foot. The track led deputies to a commercial storage area at the dead end of Commerce Street where the track was terminated.

The victim in this case was transported to Atlanta Medical Center where he is being treated for injuries he received during this assault.

If anyone has any additional information please notify Detective B. Rowan at the Fayette County Sheriff Office 770-716-4755 / <a href="mailto:brentr@fayettecountyga.gov">brentr@fayettecountyga.gov</a>