

Monday, February 27, 2012

Dear Retreat at Twin Lakes Resident,

On Sunday the 26<sup>th</sup> in the early evening hours, the Sanford Police Department was called to your community in reference to a report of a suspicious person. While enroute several residents called regarding a confrontation between two individuals that involved a gunshot. Upon arriving at the scene, one of the individuals identified himself as being involved in the confrontation and that he shot the other individual. He was secured and taken to the Police Station for interviews. The other individual was found to have succumbed to the gunshot and was pronounced deceased at the scene. Late this morning the deceased was identified as another resident of the community.

We realize that this incident is very disturbing for your community and want to ensure you that the Sanford Police Department will conduct a thorough investigation of this incident to determine the events that lead up to this confrontation. We appreciate the information and calls from members of the community during what we realize was a troubling experience.

In the next several days the Sanford Police Department will hold a community meeting to answer any questions you might have.

Please call our Public Information Officer Sergeant Morgenstern if you should have any questions at 321.377.8965.