



Contact:
Linda Bowman
Police Information Coordinator
Grand Junction Police Department
(970) 244-3601

June 12, 2007
3:30 p.m.

NEWS RELEASE

Arrest Made in Overnight Shooting

(Grand Junction, CO) – Grand Junction Police have arrested a Grand Junction man who is suspected of shooting another man in the late hours of Monday, June 11, 2007.

Marcus P. Anthony, age 46, of Grand Junction, was placed under arrest this afternoon and taken to the Mesa County Jail on a recommended charge of Attempted 2nd Degree Murder. Anthony is suspected of shooting an adult male. Around 10:45 p.m. last night GJPD officers responded to St. Mary's Hospital on a report of an adult male subject with a gunshot wound to his face.

At approximately 9:15 a.m. today, Anthony was contacted by a uniformed Grand Junction Police Officer on a traffic stop at 5th Street and Struthers Avenue. Grand Junction Police tactical units were present to provide support to the officer and Anthony was placed into custody without incident.

Because of the on-going investigation into this case, Anthony's arrest warrant is being sealed.

###