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## HOWARD COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF POLICE OFFICE OF PUBLIC AFFAIRS

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### **Howard County Police Investigating Shooting Incident**

Howard County Police are investigating a shooting incident that occurred Friday evening in the unit block of Ruth Ave. in Laurel. Police received a call around 10:30 p.m. from a resident who reported that his neighbor, Peter Jaklitsch, 25, ran from his home after three suspects approached the front door.

Jaklitsch ran back to his home and confronted the suspects outside. One of the men shot Jaklitsch in the leg. The suspects ran from the scene and Jaklitsch was treated for his non-life threatening injury. Police recovered marijuana and paraphernalia at the scene.

The suspects are described as three black males, ages 18-22, wearing dark hooded coats, one with fur lining. Anyone with information should call the Howard County Police Department at (410) 313-3200.

The investigation is continuing.

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