



## **TEMPLE TERRACE POLICE DEPARTMENT NEWS RELEASE**

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**FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE**

### **POLICE SEEK HELP IN HIT-AND-RUN CASE**

**(TEMPLE TERRACE, FL – 6/19/10)** – Police are seeking the public's help in identifying the victim of a hit-and-run crash in Temple Terrace early Saturday morning.

The male victim remains at Tampa General Hospital in critical condition.

Police received a call shortly after midnight Friday (00:23 hours Saturday) saying a person was spotted lying in the southbound lane of 56<sup>th</sup> Street near 122<sup>nd</sup> Avenue in Temple Terrace.

Upon arrival, police found an unconscious Hispanic white male. He is described as 15-18 years old, 5-ft. 8-in. to 5-ft. 10-in. tall, and 150-170 pounds. He has short, dark-brown hair with a fade haircut, and brown eyes. He has no visible scars, marks or tattoos.

The victim was wearing plaid shorts, with a primary color of tan, with brown, white and blue stripes. He was wearing a blue tie-dyed T-shirt with a picture of a castle and birds on the front. He also was wearing black flip-flops and a wristwatch with a black band.

The victim had no identification. At this time, there is no description of the vehicle involved or an indication of what happened. The incident is being investigated as a hit-and-run, said police Lt. Darrin Berberat.

Anyone who may know the victim or has knowledge of this incident is asked to call the Temple Terrace Police Department at (813) 989-7110 and ask for Cpl. John Spala.

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