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On 2/25/08, at approximately 1:21 P.M., plainclothes officers assigned to an unmarked police vehicle approached a Honda Odyssey parked in the 1800 block of Ingersoll Street for possible narcotics violations. The officers, with their badges displayed, approached the vehicle, at which time the vehicle drove from the scene. The officers notified Police Radio and pursued the vehicle to the 1500 block of Swain Street, where the driver exited his vehicle and ran west on Swain Street. One of the officers exited the unmarked vehicle and observed the fleeing offender holding a firearm. The officer ordered the offender to drop his weapon and the offender raised his weapon in the direction of the officer. The officer discharged his weapon, striking the offender. The offender was pronounced at the scene by Fire Rescue. The offender's .380 caliber, semi-automatic weapon was recovered and found to be loaded with seven cartridges. In addition, fifteen packets of cocaine were recovered from the offender's pockets.