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On Wednesday, June 25, 2014, at approximately 9:21 PM, uniformed officers, in a marked police vehicle, stopped a vehicle for traffic violations in the 100 block of W. Champlost Street. The vehicle was occupied by two males. As a result of the driver acting nervous, the officers asked him to step out of the vehicle for further investigation. While conducting the investigation, the offender told the officers that he had a firearm. The officers then attempted to secure the offender as he attempted to flee. One of the officers grabbed the offender, at which time he proceeded to draw his firearm. At that point, both officers drew their weapons and discharged them, striking the offender. The offender threw his firearm and fell to the ground.

The offender was transported to Albert Einstein Medical Center for treatment.

A .380 semi-automatic pistol, loaded with eight live rounds, was recovered at the scene.

There were no other injuries as a result of this incident.