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The Metropolitan Police Department (MPD) is actively investigating a shooting that occurred this evening at approximately 8:13 p.m. in the 500 Block of Gresham Place, NW, near Drew Hall.

It was reported that a male victim who was driving his vehicle in the area was being chased by an unknown suspect driving what was believed to be a black Mazda. Once the vehicles entered the 500 Block of Gresham Place, a single gunshot was fired at the victim's vehicle. At this time, there are no reported injuries, but the victim's vehicle sustained property damage. The parties involved are unaffiliated with Howard University, however, the MPD investigation is ongoing.

If you have any information pertaining to this shooting incident, please contact the Department of Public Safety (DPS) at 202-806-1100, or call 911 to reach MPD.

The Howard University Department of Public Safety notifies the University community when crimes are reported which present a continuing threat to the students, faculty or staff, in a manner consistent with the Jeanne Clery Disclosure of Campus Security Policy and Campus Crime Statistics Act.

General Safety Tips:

- Avoid isolated and dark areas.
- Carry your cell phone and keep it accessible.