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**Oakland Police Department Seeks Information;  
Needs Help from the Community**

*Oakland, CA* — Today, Thursday, May 26, 2016, at 11:00 AM, the Oakland Police Department's Homicide Section, the Federal Bureau of Investigations, and friends, held a press conference in the 3000 block of Richmond Boulevard to discuss the murder of Brian Bole.

The Oakland Police Department's homicide section commander Lieutenant Roland Holmgren and investigator Sergeant Leonel Sanchez have released these photos obtained from area surveillance video. Investigators have provided the photos with the intentions of receiving assistance from anyone who may have seen the vehicle or the persons of interest.

**The photos below are of interest only.** The photos were taken of the vehicle and persons prior to the murder. Investigators would like to talk to the driver of the vehicle of interest and persons of interests who were seen in the area at the time when Mr. Bole was killed. They may have been witnesses to the crime.

The vehicle of interest is possibly a 2003-2007 Honda Accord, 4-doors, sunroof, and silver in color.



Vehicle of Interest

The person of interest #1 is described as a male, unknown race, wearing a light blue baseball hat, a light blue shirt with a large light colored horizontal stripe across the back and chest, and dark colored pants.



Person of Interest #1

The person of interest #2 is described as an adult female, African-American, wearing layers of clothing and a head scarf.



Person of Interest #2

The person of interest #3 is described as thin build, unknown race, unknown gender.



Person of Interest #3

*Background:* On April 10, 2016, at 12:14 AM, Brian Bole, age 30, was walking in the 3000 block of Richmond Boulevard, towards his residence, when he was shot and killed.

Crime Stoppers of Oakland is offering a reward of up to \$10,000 and the FBI is offering a reward of up to \$20,000 for information leading to the arrest of the person(s) responsible for the death of Brian Bole; a total of up to \$30,000 in reward.

Nixle Tip Watch allows ANONYMOUS tipsters to send OPD a tip three ways:

1. Text TIP OAKLANDPD to 888777 from your cell phone followed by your tip.
2. Call our toll-free tip hotline at 855-TIPS-247 (855-847-7247)
3. Submit a tip by web form - see the option at the bottom of OPD's Nixle messages or visit <http://nixle.us/tip/oakland-police-department-ca/> to complete and send.

Anonymous tipping allows residents to proactively connect with the Oakland Police Department by submitting anonymous tips via web form and text message. Additionally, with the issuance of a tipping passcode to tipsters, we can initiate a two-way, anonymous communication to help gather more information.

For more information, please contact the Media Relations Office at 510-238-7230 or [opdmedia@oaklandnet.com](mailto:opdmedia@oaklandnet.com).

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