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Shooting on Interstate 77

On August 3, 2023, at approximately 6:15p.m., dispatch received a 911 call regarding a shooting that occurred on Interstate 77 in the City of Green near milemarker 117. The Summit County Sheriff's Office responded and initiated an investigation. Investigators determined the passenger of a pickup truck fired several rounds from a handgun into a black Lincoln SUV while both vehicles were traveling southbound on I-77. The driver of the Lincoln SUV was struck multiple times and his vehicle crossed the median into the northbound lanes of I-77. The shooter and the pickup truck fled the area. The Lincoln SUV subsequently struck a Mercedes in the northbound lanes. The driver of the Lincoln and the driver of the Mercedes were transported to Summa Akron City Hospital by the Green Fire Department. The driver of the Lincoln was pronounced dead at the hospital.

The Summit County Sheriff's Crime Scene Unit and Crash Team responded to the scene. The incident remains under investigation by the Summit County Sheriff's Detective Bureau. Anyone with information should call the Detective Bureau at (330) 630-6317.