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Media Advisory: Overnight Shooting Leaves Juvenile In the Hospital and Another In Custody

At approximately 8:15 PM, the Alachua County Sheriff's Office Combined Communications Center received a 911 call stating that someone was shooting from a vehicle in the 6500 block of SW Archer Rd. Deputies responded to the area and encountered a vehicle in the parking lot of the Kanapaha Station shopping plaza with several bullet holes and a juvenile victim with a gunshot wound to the facial area.

The 15-year-old victim was treated on scene by Alachua County Fire Rescue and transported to UF Health at Shands Hospital for treatment where he remains in stable condition.

Deputies assigned to our Patrol Operations Division and Detectives assigned to the Criminal Investigations Division were able to establish the identity of the shooter and obtain an arrest warrant. Shortly before 6:00 AM this morning, 17-year-old Austin Gregory Dow was taken into custody by members of the ACSO SWAT Team at his home in the Valwood Subdivision on three counts of attempted 2nd-degree murder. He is being held on a \$450,000 bond.

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