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Shooting – First On Scene - Update

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In an effort to ensure that all media outlets are provided consistent information reference the initial contact and arrest of Jared Loughner on January 8, 2011, we are releasing the following:

While enroute to the shooting at the Safeway at Ina Road and Oracle Road, Sheriff's Deputies were advised that the suspect was being restrained by bystanders. Deputy Thomas Audetat, the first deputy on scene, immediately took custody of the suspect, Jared Loughner, and placed him in handcuffs. While securing Loughner, the following items were removed from Loughner's pockets: two 15 round magazines, a four inch buck knife, a plastic bag containing currency, a Visa card and Loughner's Arizona driver's license. During this time, Deputy Georgina Patino located Loughner's weapon on the ground and secured it. Loughner was then transported to the Sheriff's Department Foothills substation for further processing.

More information will be released as it becomes available.

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