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MAYS LANDING – Authorities are searching for a suspect or suspects in a shooting that left one man dead and another seriously injured in an Egg Harbor City apartment complex last night, First Assistant Prosecutor Murray Talasnik stated Tuesday.

Egg Harbor City police responded to the Harbor City Apartments located on Atlantic Avenue at 11:11 p.m. Monday night for a report of shots fired. When they arrived they found two men in a courtyard suffering from gunshot wounds.

Sandy Thomas, 30, of Galloway Township, was transported to the hospital where he was pronounced dead.

Notification of next of kin was made and Thomas' autopsy is scheduled for this afternoon.

The other victim, Shawn Travis, 24, of Egg Harbor City, was transported to AtlantiCare Regional Medical Center, City Campus, for treatment of serious gunshot wounds.

The Prosecutor's Office Major Crimes Unit and the Egg Harbor City Police Department are investigating the shooting.

Anyone with information involving serious crimes is asked to call the Atlantic County Prosecutor's Office Major Crimes Unit at 609-909-7666 or go to the Prosecutor's Office Web site at <http://www.acpo.org/tips.html> and provide information by filling out the form anonymously on the Submit a Tip page. People can also call Crime Stoppers at 609-652-1234 or 1-800-658-8477 (TIPS). Crime Stoppers offers cash rewards for information leading to the arrest and indictment of those who commit crimes in Atlantic County.