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Thibodaux Police Investigate Shooting

Thibodaux Chief of Police Bryan Zeringue announced that the Thibodaux Police Department is investigating a shooting that happened shortly after 6:00 p.m. last night.

On Monday, September 16, 2019, at approximately 6:20 p.m., the Thibodaux Police Department responded to the 1800 block of Badt Avenue, in reference to several gun shots heard in the area.

When Police arrived to the scene, a suspicious subject was seen frantically entering a vehicle, while speeding off. Officers later stopped the vehicle and discovered that an occupant identified as Travon Dunmiles had been shot and was being transported to a local hospital. Acadian Ambulance Services was immediately called to the scene to render aid. Mr. Dunmiles was later transported to a local hospital for further treatment. The transporting vehicle was also struck by gun fire during the incident.

While other officers secured the crime scene in the 1800 block of Badt Avenue, it was learned that numerous uninvolved vehicles and an apartment complex were also struck by gunfire during the incident.

Thibodaux Police Detectives were called to the scene to process for evidentiary purposes. This investigation is ongoing and the Thibodaux Police Department Criminal Investigations Division has been working diligently, following every lead necessary to apprehend any and all responsible parties involved. The victim suffered non-life threatening injuries and is in stable condition.

Chief Zeringue would like to assure our community partners that the safety of all citizens is our number one priority. As more information becomes available we will update the public accordingly.

If you have any information regarding this incident, please contact the Thibodaux Police Department at 985-446-5021 or submit a tip anonymously through Crime Stoppers Bayou Region by phone at 1-800-743-7433 or online at www.crimestoppersbr.org. Tips can also be submitted using the P3 Tips app on your mobile device. If you submit a tip through Crime Stoppers, tipsters could be eligible for a reward of up to \$1,000 in cash if the information leads to an arrest.



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