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Name of officer involved in shooting incident released

The Shreveport Police Department has released the name of a Shreveport Police patrol supervisor involved in a fatal shooting incident Saturday evening in downtown Shreveport.

On June 1, 2019, Sergeant Timothy Adgate was patrolling in the 300 block of Clyde Fant Parkway in a search of a vehicle, which approximately 30 minutes earlier, had been reported stolen by a suspect who stabbed the vehicle's owner multiple times, subsequently robbing the victim of his vehicle. During an area canvas, Sergeant Adgate spotted the stolen vehicle parked on the second level of a casino parking garage and occupied by the suspect in the aforementioned stabbing and car-jacking. After radioing for assistance, Sergeant Adgate began giving the suspect loud, verbal commands to get on the ground; commands the suspect refused to follow.

During attempts to take the man into custody, a violent struggle ensued between the suspect, identified as 35 year old Marcus Boles and Sergeant Adgate. During this time, Boles reportedly made multiple attempts to remove Sergeant Adgate's service weapon from its holster. During the altercation, Sergeant Adgate produced his service weapon and fired at Boles, striking him once in the upper body. Boles later died from his injuries following his transport via ambulance to Ochsner LSU medical Center. Sergeant Adgate, who suffered minor injuries, was taken to a local hospital as mandated by departmental protocol. Sergeant Adgate, who was hired in August of 1999, was placed on paid departmental leave by Chief of Police Ben Raymond in accordance with civil service laws. The investigation into the matter is ongoing.

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