

# *Shreveport Police Dept.*



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## **Late afternoon crash claims life of motorcyclist**

On April 27, 2021, just after 5:00 p.m., Shreveport Police patrol officers responded to reports of a motor vehicle crash involving a motorcycle and SUV at the intersection of Linwood Avenue and Browning Street in west Shreveport. Officers arrived to find the operator of the motorcycle lying on the roadway. The motorcycle operator and driver of the SUV were both transported to a local hospital with life threatening injuries. The motorcyclist died at the hospital. The driver of the SUV had serious injuries but is expected to recover.

Detectives with the Crash Investigations Unit responded to the scene and gathered evidence. Through their preliminary investigation, they determined that the motorcyclist was travelling southbound on Linwood Avenue at a very high rate of speed. The SUV was northbound and making a left turn onto Browning Street and the motorcycle struck the SUV causing the SUV to roll over onto its top. Speed was cited as the primary cause of the accident.

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