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Arrest made in shooting



Schuncey Bates

On February 2022, just after 6:30 p.m., Shreveport Police patrol officers responded to the 2700 block of West College Street on reports of a shooting. Arriving officers made contact with an adult male suffering from a gunshot wound to his face. The Shreveport Fire Department transported the victim to a local hospital for treatment. His injuries were considered life-threatening but has since been upgraded to non-life threatening.

Detectives responded to the scene and learned that the shooting occurred in the 2200 block of Virginia Avenue. The crime scene was located, and evidence was recovered. Investigators quickly developed Schuncey Bates (6-13-1977) as the alleged suspect. Investigators believe the two men had an ongoing disagreement which led to the violent encounter. The investigation is still ongoing.

On today, 2-18-2022, Bates surrendered himself to detectives at the Shreveport Police Complex and later booked into the Shreveport City Jail on one count of Attempted Second Degree Murder. No bond has been set.