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Shooting on election night under investigation

On November 8, 2022, at 8:27 p.m. Shreveport Police patrol officers responded to the 9700 block of Baird Road to the South Caddo Library in reference to a shooting. This location was serving as an election party for Shreveport Councilman Alan Jackson.

As officers arrived a victim was located suffering from a gunshot wound to the upper body. The victim was transported to an area hospital with non-life-threatening injuries.

Detectives were able to determine that the victim was inside of a vehicle in the 9700 block of Baird Road when he was struck by gunfire. Initial investigation reveals that the shooting occurred on the roadway and not at the election party. The shooting suspect is believed to have fled the scene by vehicle. At this time there is no indication that the attack was in anyway politically motivated or related to the election party, however the investigation is still in the early stages.

Police are asking anyone with any additional information about this case to contact them immediately at 318-673-7300 #3 or 318-673-6955. Those wishing to remain anonymous are asked to call Caddo Shreveport Crime Stoppers at 318-673-7373 or send a tip via their app, P3tips.