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**Arrest made in California Avenue Homicide**

On July 20th, 2023, at 8:25 a.m., Shreveport Police patrol officers responded to a call of a shooting in the 6900 block of California Avenue. Responding officers located a male victim suffering from multiple gunshot wounds. The victim was transported to a local area hospital where he was pronounced deceased.

Investigators with the Shreveport Police Violent Crimes Unit responded to the scene and began their investigation into the incident. After a thorough investigation detectives found that a seventeen-year-old juvenile was believed responsible for the shooting that killed the victim.

On August 8th, 2023, the seventeen-year-old suspect was arrested by members of the Violent Crimes Unit and charged with one count of Second-Degree Murder.

The photo of the suspect is not releasable due to the age of the offender.

