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## Shreveport Police Investigate Fatal Stabbing on Morningside Drive



**Zakiyyah Anderson**

On February 16, 2025, at approximately 9:36 p.m., Shreveport Police Department patrol officers and Shreveport Fire Department medics responded to a reported stabbing at 3017 Morningside Drive within the city limits of Shreveport, Caddo Parish.

Upon arrival, officers located a male victim outside the residence suffering from a stab wound to the center of his chest. The victim had lost a significant amount of blood, and medics transported him to Ochsner LSU Health Shreveport in a life-threatening condition.

Officers made contact with the 911 caller, Zakiyyah Anderson (DOB: 07/28/1994), who stated that the victim had  
Detectives immediately responded to the scene. While en route, officers were notified that the victim had succumbed to his injuries at the hospital. Shreveport Police Department Crime Scene Investigators and additional Violent Crimes Detectives were requested to process the scene.

Evidence related to the homicide was documented and seized. Zakiyyah Anderson was subsequently arrested for one count of Second-Degree Murder.

The Shreveport Police Department commends the officers and detectives for their swift work in bringing this case to a resolution. This marks the fifth homicide in Shreveport this year, another tragic and senseless act of violence in our community.