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## Shreveport Police Continue Aggressive Enforcement of Domestic Violence Cases



### **Randeshia Rogers, Showanda Loyd, Kevin Morse & George Averett**

The Shreveport Police Department remains committed to aggressively enforcing domestic violence laws and protecting the most vulnerable in our community. Unfortunately, many domestic violence incidents are reactive in nature, placing officers in extremely difficult situations where quick decisions must be made for the safety and well-being of families—especially children.

Over the past several days, Shreveport Police have made multiple arrests related to domestic violence:

- On July 23, officers arrested Randeshia Rogers for domestic abuse battery with child endangerment. She faces four counts of the charge, as four children were reportedly present during the offense. Research has consistently shown that children raised in homes where domestic violence occurs are significantly more likely to become either victims or perpetrators of abuse later in life.
- Also on July 23, officers arrested Showanda Loyd, who has been charged with one count of domestic abuse battery and one count of domestic abuse battery with a dangerous weapon. Fortunately, no serious injuries were reported in this case.
- On July 22, Kevin Morse was arrested and charged with domestic abuse battery – second offense and simple assault. The "second offense" charge is based on a previous domestic violence conviction.
- Also on July 22, officers arrested George Averett, who faces charges of domestic abuse battery, domestic abuse aggravated assault, and resisting an officer. Thankfully, no serious injuries occurred.
- On July 21, Traderron Mills was arrested and charged with simple battery of a dating partner.

These arrests highlight the continuing and serious issue of domestic violence in our community. Domestic violence calls remain among the most dangerous situations that law enforcement officers respond to. Studies

show that incidents involving domestic abuse carry a significantly higher risk of violence against responding officers.

The Shreveport Police Department will continue to prioritize the safety of victims and families while holding offenders accountable.

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