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SPD VICE Unit Cleaning up Monkhouse Drive



Samantha Matthews, Calvin Johnson, Amahazhane Hoffman & Leshelle Barnum

The Shreveport Police Department's Vice Unit continues its efforts to combat crime in the Monkhouse Drive corridor. On August 15, 2024, Vice officers made multiple arrests related to prostitution and associated offenses.

Calvin Johnson was arrested and charged with one count of pandering and one count of possession of drug paraphernalia. Under the Louisiana Revised Statute, pandering is defined as the procurement of persons for the purpose of prostitution.

In addition, Vice officers arrested three individuals for prostitution:

- Samantha Matthews, 21, arrested for one count of prostitution.
- Amahazhane Hoffman, 26, arrested for prostitution and possession of drug paraphernalia.
- Leshelle Barnum, 38, arrested for one count of prostitution.

The Shreveport Police Department remains committed to addressing vice-related crimes that negatively impact the community.