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Shreveport Police Arrest Man in Violent Home Invasion Assault



The Shreveport Police Department has arrested a man accused of violently attacking a victim inside a residence, leaving the victim with severe injuries that required extensive facial surgery.

On March 3rd, 2026, at approximately 12:00 p.m., Shreveport Police officers responded to the 800 block of Kingston Road in reference to a reported battery.

Upon arrival, officers learned that Cedric Thomas had allegedly forced his way into the residence and physically assaulted the victim. During the attack, Thomas reportedly used brass knuckles, causing the victim to sustain severe facial injuries.

The victim was transported to Willis-Knighton Hospital, where he later underwent extensive facial surgery as a result of the injuries sustained during the assault.

Detectives with the Shreveport Police Department Violent Crimes Unit launched an investigation into the incident. Through witness statements and officers' observations at the scene, investigators determined that the evidence was consistent with the victim's account of the attack.

As a result of the investigation, detectives obtained an arrest warrant for Cedric Thomas on the following charges:

Home Invasion

Aggravated Second Degree Battery

On March 11, 2026, Thomas was located and booked into the Caddo Correctional Center in connection with this incident.

Anyone with additional information is encouraged to contact the Shreveport Police Department at 318-673-7300 or Caddo Crime Stoppers at 318-673-7373.