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## **Homicide Investigation**

The Birmingham Police Department reports that detectives are conducting a homicide investigation. The incident occurred Tuesday, June 23, 2015 in the 2600 block of Tempest Drive.

The victim's name is being withheld pending next of kin notifications.

On Tuesday, June 23, 2015, around 2:49 a.m. West Precinct officers responded to the listed location on a person shot call. Upon arrival, responding officers found the victim and another male suffering from gunshot wounds. The victim was pronounced dead at the scene. The other male was transported by Birmingham Fire and Rescue to UAB Hospital with non-life threatening injuries.

Our preliminary investigation revealed that the victim and the suspect were involved in a verbal altercation when the suspect shot the victim and the other male victim. The suspect then fled the scene. This is an ongoing homicide investigation and additional information will be released as it becomes available.

**If there is anyone who has information pertaining to the case, they are encouraged to contact the B.P.D. Homicide Unit @ 254-1764 or Crime Stoppers @ 254-7777.**