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Homicide Investigation

The Birmingham Police Department reports that detectives are conducting a homicide investigation. The incident occurred Tuesday, May 9, 2017 in 600 block of Earline Circle.

The victim has been identified as:

Marcus Murray, B/M, 19 of Birmingham

On Tuesday, May 09, 2017, around 9:50 a.m. officers from the East Precinct responded to the listed location on a person shot. Upon arrival, officers found the victim lying on the bedroom floor suffering from what appeared to be a gunshot wound to the body. Birmingham Fire and Rescue responded to the scene and pronounced the victim deceased.

Detectives learned the initial call was made by an acquaintance who found the victim in the apartment. Neighbors reported hearing several gunshots near the apartment the night before. Detectives also learned the victim's vehicle (blue 1999 Camero, tag#7370AS6) is missing. Suspect and witness information is unclear at this time but detectives are speaking with the acquaintance. Additional information will be released as it becomes available.

"This case is quite puzzling but we believe someone in this apartment complex saw something and know something. The question is, will they say something? Our detectives are hopeful."

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