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Homicide Investigation

The Birmingham Police Department reports that detectives are conducting a homicide investigation. The victim was discovered on Monday, January 28, 2019 at approximately 4:20 pm.

The victim's identity will be released upon notification of immediate family.

Officers from the East Precinct responded to the 300 block of Oporto-Madrid Boulevard North to investigate a report of an accident. Officers arrived and located the victim inside a vehicle unresponsive. Birmingham Fire and Rescue arrived and transported the victim to UAB Hospital for treatment. The victim was pronounced deceased shortly after arrival.

Although investigators received information that the victim may have suffered a gunshot wound earlier, they are still waiting to receive confirmation if the official cause of death was a result of the accident or possible gunshot wound.

No suspects are in custody. Additional information will be released as it becomes available.

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**.**

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