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## **Homicide Investigation**

The Birmingham Police Department reports that detectives are conducting a homicide investigation. The incident occurred on Wednesday April 10, 2019 at approximately 6:15 p.m.

Officers from the West Precinct responded to 1033 Woodland Avenue Southwest on a report of a person shot. Officers arrived and located the victim suffering from a gunshot wound. Birmingham Fire and Rescue responded to the scene and transported the victim to UAB Hospital for treatment. Investigators later received information that the victim had succumbed to his injury and was pronounced deceased.

The deceased victim has been identified as:

**Michael Toney Jr., B/M, 23, of Birmingham, Alabama**

Investigators learned that suspects in a dark colored vehicle drove past the incident location and began to fire at the home and several vehicles. The victim was struck by gunfire as he exited the home during the gunfire. No suspect(s) 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](tel:254-1764) or Crime Stoppers @ [254-7777](tel:254-7777).**

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