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The Birmingham Police Department reports that Detectives are conducting a homicide investigation. The incident was reported on Sunday, April 28, 2019 at approximately 6:30 p.m.

Officers from the West Precinct were dispatched to the 2800 block of Bessemer Road to investigate a Shot Spotter alert of shots fired in the area. As officers arrived they received a report of a person shot at 2808 Bessemer Road. Officers located the victim unresponsive inside the doorway of a car detail shop suffering from a gunshot wound. Birmingham Fire and Rescue reported to the scene and pronounced the victim deceased as a result of his injury.

The victim has been identified as:

Omari Sharad Pollnitz, B/M, 38, of Birmingham, Alabama.

No suspect(s) are in custody in this investigation. 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 @ [205-254-1764](tel:205-254-1764) or Crime Stoppers @ [205-254-7777](tel:205-254-7777).

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