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Homicide Investigation

The Birmingham Police Department is conducting a homicide investigation. The incident occurred on **Thursday, October 12, 2023**.

The victim will be identified upon notification to next of kin.

At approximately 6:45 PM, North Precinct officers were dispatched to a Person Shot call in the 300 Block of 2nd Avenue North.

Officers arrived on the scene and observed an adult male victim, lying unresponsive in an abandon building, suffering from an apparent gunshot wound.

Birmingham Fire and Rescue arrived on the scene and transported the victim to UAB Hospital where he was later pronounced deceased.

The preliminary investigation suggests the victim and suspect were acquainted with one another. The suspect approached the victim and began a verbal altercation. The suspect then shot the victim and ran away form the scene.

Officers on scene were giving detailed information about the suspect. Officers then began searching for the suspect and quickly took the suspect into custody without incident.

If there is anyone who has information pertaining to the case, please contact the B.P.D. Homicide Unit @ 205-254-1764 or Crime Stoppers @ 205-254-7777.

Anonymous tips can also be submitted to Crime Stoppers through the Birmingham Police Department's Mobile App on Android or IOS devices. Updates will be provided as information becomes available.

This is Birmingham's 95th murder investigation of 2023 with 8 justifiable death investigations. The Birmingham Police Department adheres to FBI Uniform Crime Reporting guidelines set for all law enforcement agencies across the United States. FBI Uniform Crime Reporting guidelines do not require law enforcement agencies to include justifiable death investigations in the total homicide investigations counts.

****The information is based on a preliminary and ongoing investigation, which continues to evolve as investigators interview witnesses, review physical and electronic records, and analyze forensic evidence. The Department's understanding of the facts and circumstances may change as additional evidence is collected and analyzed****

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