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Public's Assistance with the Tyler Griffin Homicide Investigation

Detectives request assistance from the public in obtaining information on a Mother's Day homicide that occurred on **Sunday, May 14, 2017**, that claimed the life of Tyler Griffin.

At around 9:30 a.m., West Precinct officers were dispatched to the 3400 Block of Boise Avenue on report of a Person Shot.

Officers arrived on the scene and then observed the victim lying unresponsive on the ground; he was suffering from an apparent gunshot wound.

Birmingham Fire and Rescue personnel arrived on the scene and pronounced the victim deceased.

The preliminary investigation has revealed the victim was at a residence attending a small gathering when a suspect began arguing with him; the suspect shot Tyler in the back while Tyler was running away.

If anyone has information that will help aid our detectives, please contact the Homicide Division directly at **205-254-1764** or remain anonymous by contacting Crime Stoppers at **205-254-7777**.

Crime Stoppers may award tipsters up to \$5,000 in cash.

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