



Chief of Police Murphy Paul

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MURDER ARREST

Update 05-22-18

JAMES RICARDO JOHNSON, 36 of 2435 Lark Street has been arrested in connection of the shooting death of KENDRICK DIXON.

Investigators believe that JOHNSON observed DIXON shoot CARR while in the commission of a robbery. JOHNSON then chased after DIXON as the two exchanged multiple gunshots. JOHNSON fired several shots into a vehicle, striking DIXON multiple times. DIXON was pronounced deceased at the scene.

Tips into Crime Stoppers led to the arrest of JOHNSON.

JOHNSON will be booked in the East Baton Rouge Parish Prison on the charge of Second Degree Murder.

Original 05-14-18

Baton Rouge Police Detectives are investigating a shooting that occurred last night around 11:45pm in the parking lot of 8770 Elm Grove Garden Drive.

HENRY CARR, 34 of 8725 Tate Street was observed outside his vehicle suffering from apparent gunshot injuries. A second victim, KENDRICK DIXON, 32 of 1935 Spanish Town Road was observed inside the vehicle suffering from apparent gunshot injuries.

CARR and DIXON were pronounced deceased at the scene.

There are no known suspects or motives at this time.

Anyone with any information is urged to contact the Violent Crimes Unit at 389-4869 or Crime Stoppers at 344-7867.

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