



Chief of Police Murphy Paul

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SUSPECT WANTED FOR 2nd DEGREE BATTERY

Baton Rouge Police Detectives are attempting to locate the individual in the attached photograph, SAMUEL L. ELLIS III, 25 of 5968 Sumrall Drive. ELLIS is wanted on charges of 2nd Degree Battery and False Imprisonment.

Baton Rouge Police responded this morning around 2:00am to the 1700 block of Harding Boulevard relative to a disturbance. Investigators believe that ELLIS struck the victim in the face with a closed fist, causing extensive damage and held her captive for several hours before he fled. ELLIS is believed to be in a black Dodge Charger and should be considered armed and dangerous.

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

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