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## SHOOTING ON WASHINGTON AVE

Baton Rouge Police detectives are investigating the shooting death of VERNON COVINGTON, 42, 4161 MOHICAN PRESCOTT CROSSOVER that occurred in the 5200 block of Washington Ave near Bahm St around 4:26pm on yesterday afternoon.

Covington was shot by an unknown black male suspect after having a verbal argument. Covington died at the scene.

Anyone having information on this shooting is urged to contact the Violent Crimes Unit at 389-4869 or Crime Stoppers at 344-7867.

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