

Crimestoppers Media Release

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CRIMESTOPPERS HAS INCREASED ITS REWARD IN THE BELOW DOUBLE
HOMICIDE **TO UP TO \$5,000** FOR INFORMATION WHICH LEADS TO
THE ARREST AND INDICTMENT OF THE SUSPECT(S)

Murder Investigation

New Orleans, LA – Members of the New Orleans Police Department are investigating the apparent shooting death of two unidentified males. The names of victims are being withheld pending notification of family members. The incident occurred shortly before 9:00 P.M., in the 7800 block of Dorsett Street.

According to investigators, Seventh District officers responded to a call of a “male shot” and upon their arrival, found one victim lying in the street suffering from apparent gunshot wounds to his body and a second victim a short distance away, lying in the alleyway of a residence. The victims were found with multiple gunshot wounds to the body. Emergency medical technicians were summoned to the scene where they pronounced one victim dead and the second victim was transported to the hospital where he later died.

Currently, investigators are in the process of gathering evidence and information to identify the person(s) involved in this incident, as well as a motive. Homicide Detective Greg Hamilton is in charge of the investigation.

Citizens with information that can help solve this crime are asked to call CRIMESTOPPERS at 822-1111, toll-free 1-877-903-STOP(7867). You could receive a cash reward of up to \$2,500 for information leading to the arrest and indictment of the responsible person(s). You do not have to give your name nor testify to receive the reward.

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