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U.S. Marshal's Task Force Shooting on West Brookstown

Lawrence Blackburn, 37, 1140 Grace St, Morgan City, La died last night from injuries after exchanging gunfire with US Marshal's Task Force members at 4271 West Brookstown around 7:30pm this evening. A 36 year old female was struck in the leg during the exchange of gunfire between Blackburn and the Task Force. The female was transported to a local hospital with non life threatening injuries.

Blackburn was wanted by Lafayette Police for 1st Degree Murder.

This shooting is still under investigation.

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