



BRPD News Item

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Slug:	Suicide Investigation
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Baton Rouge Police Detectives have identified the individual who shot himself as JEREMY DAMAROL ANDERSON, 28 of 102 Olivet Drive, Gulfport, MS.

Today around 10:49am Baton Rouge Police Uniform Patrol Officers attempted to stop a silver colored Ford F-150 pickup truck for following too close to another vehicle, while heading west on I-12 near the Millerville area. ANDERSON refused to stop as he continued westbound, but never attempted to flee at a high rate of speed. As officers continued trying to get the vehicle pulled over, they learned that the vehicle was reported stolen through Jefferson Parish Sheriff's Office.

ANDERSON then exited the interstate onto Sherwood Forest Blvd and pulled into the parking lot of the Taco Bell, 2313 S. Sherwood Forest as Patrol Units followed. Patrol Officers then heard a single gunshot just before the vehicle jumped a curb and struck a tree.

ANDERSON was alone in the vehicle, unresponsive from an apparent self inflicted gunshot wound.

There are no motives at this time for ANDERSON'S suicide. Anyone with any information is urged to contact Violent Crimes Unit at 389-4869.