



Chief of Police Carl Dabadie

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## **SUSPECT ARRESTED FOR MURDER**

### Update

CURTIS LEE BROWN JR, 21, 2425 IROQUOIS ST was arrested yesterday morning in Dallas, Tx. for the shooting death of Jonathan Sam that occurred on November 10, 2016 at 3122 Plank Rd.

Brown will be extradited back to Baton Rouge on a later date and booked into East Baton Rouge Parish Prison for 1<sup>st</sup> Degree Murder and Armed Robbery.

### Original

Baton Rouge Police Detectives are investigating a fatal shooting which occurred today around 3:00pm in the 3100 block of Plank Road.

JONATHAN SAM, 25 of 2155 71<sup>st</sup> Avenue was found shot to death near the business of G&T Tires, 3122 Plank Road, where he was employed. Detectives believe that SAM tried to intervene during a robbery when he was shot.

There are no known suspects at this time.

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

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