Press Release







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One Shot During Home Invasion

On Tuesday, March 4, 2025 at approximately 11:06 p.m., officers from the Lake City Police Department were dispatched to SW Leslie Glen in reference to an individual being shot.

Upon arrival, officers found a 31-year-old male unresponsive from a gunshot wound. Officers administered first aid until EMS arrived, but the individual succumbed to his injuries.

Victims of the home invasion reported that the individual, who was known to the victims, attempted to break into the home and was successful. The residence contained multiple adults and children. One of the adults fired multiple shots at the intruder when he rushed toward them.

Anyone with information regarding this incident is asked to contact Detective Pepin at (386) 719-5749.

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