

# *Shreveport Police Dept.*



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## **FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE**

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### **Man injured in late night shooting**

Shreveport Police are investigating a shooting in east Shreveport that left a man with serious injuries late last night.

On April 11, 2018 just before midnight, Shreveport Police patrol officers responded to the 2700 block of Southern Avenue at the Wilkinson Terrace Apartment Complex on reports of shots fired. A short time later 18-year-old Elijah Brown arrived at University Health Hospital via private auto and was found to be suffering from a single gunshot wound to his back. Brown told officers that he was driving away from the apartment complex when he was shot by an unknown suspect(s). Brown was taken to surgery and had injuries that were described as serious but non-life threatening.

Detectives with the Violent Crimes and Crime Scene Unit responded to the scene. Investigators located the victim's car and collected evidence believed related to the shooting. The investigation continues at this hour.

Shreveport Caddo Crime Stoppers is offering a reward for information that leads to the identification and arrest of the individual(s) responsible for this crime. Please contact them and submit your information anonymously at 318-673-7373 or via their app, P3Tips, which can be downloaded in the app store today.

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