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**SPD K-9 catches suspected burglar**

On July 18th, 2022, at 2:15 a.m., Shreveport Police patrol officers responded to possible burglary in progress in the 1300 Rex Avenue. Officers were notified of a suspect breaking into a car wash at this location.

Shreveport Police K-9, Barry, was close to the scene and responded to the call. On arrival K9 Barry was deployed and engaged the suspect. Thanks to K9 Barry the alleged offender was captured and identified as black male, Freddie Smith (12/31/71).

Smith was treated for minor injuries sustained during the struggle, then transported to Shreveport City Jail and charged with one count of Simple burglary.