

BLOOMINGTON POLICE DEPARTMENT



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Person Shot

Bloomington, IL - On Friday, 8/16/24, at approximately 8:57 p.m., Bloomington police officers heard gunshots being fired near their location. Officers canvassed the surrounding area and located evidence of a shots fired incident occurring in the 300 block of West Graham Street.

Officers were approached by a victim, a 21-year-old male, with an apparent gunshot wound. Paramedics with the Bloomington Fire Department transported the victim to an area hospital. The injuries are not believed to be life threatening.

A nearby residence also sustained damage from gunfire.

The Bloomington Police Department Crime Scene Unit responded to process the scene.

The circumstances behind this incident are still pending investigation by the Bloomington Police Department. Anyone with information should contact Detective Kevin Raisbeck at 309-434-2593 or Kraisbeck@cityblm.org.

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If you wish to submit a crime tip and remain anonymous, please contact the Crime & Intelligence Analysis Unit (CIAU) at 309-434-2963 or email CIAU@cityblm.org. You can also text the number 847411 by texting the word "BPDTIPS", then a space, followed by your tip information.

The tip line is not monitored 24/7. The CIAU office is staffed from 8am-4:30pm, weekdays. If no one is available to answer your call, please leave the information on the voicemail or send it by e-mail.