



## BELOIT POLICE DEPARTMENT



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### PRESS RELEASE

Incident Number: 12-8729

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#### **\*\*\*\*\*HOMICIDE SUSPECT ARRESTED\*\*\*\*\***

**TEVON I. MARLEY**  
**B/M, DOB 01/01/1984**  
**of HARVEY, IL (last known address)**

On today's date at about 1:30p.m., Beloit Police Detectives assisted by U.S. Marshall Agents arrested Tevon Marley at a residence in the 1900 of Elmwood Av. for a 1<sup>st</sup> Degree Intentional Homicide warrant. The Detectives and Marshalls went to the residence following up on information that Marley may be at the residence. Marley initially concealed himself in the attic of the residence and the officers were able to talk him out of hiding. Marley was taken into custody without any further incident. The residence is occupied by an acquaintance of Marley's.

Marley was wanted for the November 4, 2012 homicide of Ricky Sims Jr. of Chicago, IL.

On November 4, 2012, at about 11:22 a.m., Beloit Police Officers and Fire Department Paramedics responded to the 700 block of Merrill St. reference a shooting victim. The victim was identified as Ricky Sims, Jr. Upon arrival, officers found a Sims suffering from multiple gunshot wounds. Sims was transported to the Beloit Hospital where he subsequently died during surgery. Investigation into the incident identified Marley as the shooter.

Tevon I. Marley will be held in the Rock County Jail pending his initial court appearance.

Pursuant to the directive of the Wisconsin Supreme Court, as found in Supreme Court Rule 20:3:6 Trial Publicity, you are advised that a charge is merely an accusation and that a defendant is presumed innocent until and unless proven guilty.

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