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Shooting – 500 block 8th

On 08/07/14 at approximately 1220am officers from the Beloit Police Department were dispatched to the 500 block of 8th Street in the City of Beloit for a report of a man down that possibly had been shot.

Upon arrival, officers located a single individual lying on the sidewalk suffering from an apparent gunshot wound. This subject was transported by the Beloit Fire Department to Mercy Hospital in Janesville where he is being treated for life threatening injuries.

Beloit Police Evidence Technicians were on scene throughout the night. The area has now been reopened to the public.

An update will be issued later today as the investigation progresses and the subject is positively identified.

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Anyone with information in regards to this crime is encouraged to call the Beloit Police Department, 364-6801, or Beloit Area Crime Stoppers, 362-7463. Individuals may also text information to 274637 then type BACS + your message. Information leading to an arrest may be eligible for a cash reward up to $1000.00.

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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