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Homicide: 400 Block of Burns Street, Southeast

(Washington, DC) – Detectives from the Metropolitan Police Department's Homicide Branch are investigating a homicide that occurred on Saturday, July 6, 2019, in the 400 block of Burns Street, Southeast.

At approximately 4:52 am, members of the Sixth District responded to the listed location for the report of a person down. Upon arrival, members located an unconscious adult male victim suffering from multiple gunshot wounds. DC Fire and Emergency Medical Services responded to the scene and determined the victim displayed no signs consistent with life. The victim remained on the scene until transported to the Office of the Chief Medical Examiner.

The decedent has been identified as 25 year-old Demarco Jones, of Waldorf, MD.

The Metropolitan Police Department currently offers a reward of up to \$25,000 to anyone that provides information which leads to the arrest and conviction of the person or persons responsible for any homicide committed in the District of Columbia. Anyone with information about this case is asked to call the police at 202-727-9099. Additionally, anonymous information may be submitted to the department's **TEXT TIP LINE** by sending a text message to 50411.

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