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Sanford Police Have Suspect in Custody In Connection with Overnight Shooting

Sanford, FL (November 17, 2018): Sanford Police have Andraus Zyrae Lee in custody related to the overnight shooting that took place in a parking lot outside of the Wet Spot bar.

On November 17, 2018, at approximately 12:35 am, a Sanford Police Investigator working a detail at the Wet Spot, located at 112 S. Park Ave, heard one gunshot from the parking lot located east of the business. The investigator then observed a beige Toyota Camry leave the parking lot at a high rate of speed.

The investigator communicated the information to Seminole County Dispatch, and maintained visual contact with the vehicle.

Sanford Officers responding to the parking lot east of 112 S Park Ave, discovered a black male, later identified as George Beasley, suffering from a gunshot wound in the head. Beasley was transported to Central Florida Regional Hospital in life threatening condition.

After Sanford Police discovered Beasley, the investigator maintaining a visual of the Toyota Camry attempted to initiate a traffic stop. The vehicle failed to stop, fleeing at a high rate of speed. The vehicle traveled into Volusia County, where it crashed in the wooded area near Doyle and Pinelyn Road.

With the assistance of Volusia County Sheriff's Office, and Seminole County's Alert, the driver, Andraus Zyrae Lee, and the passenger, De'Shaun Williams, were arrested and taken into custody by Volusia County Sheriff's Office.

Charges are pending on Lee in connection with the shooting of Beasley at the Wet Spot.

Anyone wishing to report information regarding this incident are asked to contact the Sanford Police Department or Crimeline at 800 423-TIPS (8477) or visit www.crimeline.org. Calls made to Crimeline remain anonymous, and tips to Crimeline that lead to solving a homicide case are eligible for a cash reward of up to \$5,000 dollars.

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