Press Release Report

Wright, Daunte Demetrius  Case No: 2021-2509

Press Release

Decedent: Wright, Daunte Demetrius
Age: 20 years
Race: Black
Sex: Male
City: Minneapolis  State: MN  Zip: 55430
Date & Time of Injury: 04/11/2021
Location of Injury: 63rd Avenue North and Kathrene Drive
Brooklyn Center, MN 55429
Date of Death: 04/11/2021
Time of Death: 2:18PM
Location of Death: 63rd Avenue North and Kathrene Drive
Brooklyn Center, MN 55429

This individual died of a gunshot wound of the chest and manner of death is homicide. The Minnesota Bureau of Criminal Apprehension is the investigating agency.

Manner of death classification is a statutory function of the medical examiner, as part of death certification for purposes of vital statistics and public health. Manner of death is not a legal determination of culpability or intent.

Under Minnesota state law, the Medical Examiner is a neutral and independent office and is separate and distinct from any prosecutorial authority or law enforcement agency.

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