

HENNEPIN COUNTY

MEDICAL EXAMINER

Andrew M. Baker, M.D., Medical Examiner of Hennepin, Dakota and Scott counties

Cobb II, Ricky Thomas

Case No: 2023-04995

Press Release

Decedent: Cobb II, Ricky Thomas
Age: 33 years
Race: Black/African American
Sex: Male
City: Plymouth State: Minnesota
Date of Injury: 7/31/2023
Location of Injury: I-94 West and 42nd Avenue North
Minneapolis MN 55411
Date of Death: 7/31/2023
Time of Death: 02:35
Location of Death: I-94 West and 42nd Avenue North
Minneapolis MN 55411
Manner of Death: Homicide
Cause of Death: Multiple Gunshot Wounds
Investigating Agency: BCA - Bureau of Criminal Apprehension

Comments: 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.

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