

CRIMESTOPPERS MEDIA RELEASE

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Crimestoppers, Inc announces an increase in the reward of Mr. Umar Ervin

From \$2500 up to **\$5,000**

For information which leads to the arrest and indictment of the suspect(s) responsible for this crime. The reward was increased by the family of Mr. Ervin.

MAY PRESS RELEASE FROM JPSO:

Sheriff Newell Normand reports, this morning around 5:28 AM our officers responded to reports of gunshots in the 1300 block of Lochlomand Drive in Harvey. First responding officers located the body of a male subject lying on the front porch of 1312 Lochlomand suffering from multiple gunshot wounds. The victim, Umar Irvin, B/M, 27, was pronounced dead on the scene.

Investigators believe the victim was initially shot in the rear yard of 1304 Lochlomand and after running through the rear yards of several residences collapsed on the front porch of 1312. A 38 Caliber revolver was found in victim's clothing. Investigators also located an AK-47 assault rifle and a 12 Ga. pump-action shotgun in the rear yard of 1304 Lochlomand. It is unknown if either of these two weapons were used in this incident.

We have no suspects or motive at this time. Anyone with information in this matter is asked to call Dective Kevin Decker at 364-5300 or Crimestoppers at 822-1111.

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