



# Allen County Coroner

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PRESS RELEASE  
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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

To: All Media Outlets  
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The autopsy has been completed and notification has been made to the next of kin, of the male victim found at 2827 Fruehauf Drive, on Sunday, April 15, 2018, at approximately 22:13 hours. He has been positively identified as Ashton Shawn Bright, male, black, 25 years of age, of Fort Wayne, Indiana.

Cause of Death has been determined to be Multiple Gunshot Wounds and the Manner of Death is Homicide.

Ashton Shawn Bright is the 14<sup>th</sup> homicide victim in Allen County for 2018

The incident remains under investigation by the Fort Wayne Police Department, the Allen County Prosecutor's Office and the Allen County Coroner's Office.

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