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The autopsy has been completed and notification has been made to the next of kin, of the male victim that was located in the 800 block of Madison Street in Fort Wayne, on July 30, 2018, at approximately 21:12 hours. He has been positively identified as Ricky Joe Pelmeur, male, white, 40 years of age, of Fort Wayne, Indiana.

Cause of Death has been determined to be Gunshot Wound(s) and the Manner of Death is Homicide. Ricky Joe Pelmeur is the 33rd 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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