



# Allen County Coroner

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The Allen County Coroner's Office was notified of a shooting investigation on Saturday, September 29, 2018 located in the 1000 block of High Street, Fort Wayne, Indiana. The Fort Wayne Police Department responded to the area on a shooting investigation. The deceased, Thomas R. Jones, male black 22 years of age, was found down in the yard, suffering from a gunshot wound of the head and death was pronounced on scene.

The autopsy has been completed and the next of kin has been notified of the death. The Cause of Death has been determined to be Gunshot Wound of the Head and the Manner of Death is Suicide.

This incident is under investigation by the Fort Wayne Police Department and the Allen County Coroner's Office.

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