



Allen County Coroner

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The Allen County Coroner's Office was notified of the finding of a deceased male white in the Eagle Marsh Wetlands, located in the 6800 block of Engle Road, Fort Wayne, Indiana, at about 11:00 hours on Wednesday, March 13, 2019.

The decedent has been positively identified as Shawn Michael Wilding, male white 29 years of age, from Grand Blanc, Michigan. Notification has been made to the next of kin.

The Cause of Death has been determined to be Gunshot Wound of the Head and the Manner is Suicide.

This incident remains under investigation by the Allen County Sheriff's Department and the Allen County Coroner's Office.

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