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The autopsy has been completed and notification has been made to the next of kin for the male victim that was found in the 5000 block of Oliver Street, in Fort Wayne, on Sunday, June 12, 2022, at approximately 05:17 hours, suffering from gunshot wounds. The decedent has been positively identified as Dequavius Devonte Tyler male, black, 27 years of age from Fort Wayne, Indiana.

Dequavius Devonte Tyler was transported from the scene by Three Rivers Ambulance Authority to a local hospital where death was pronounced at 08:06 hours.

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

Dequavius Devonte Tyler is the 12th Homicide for Fort Wayne, Allen County for 2022.

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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