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## **LCSO Investigating Traffic Homicide in Woodville**

Sunday morning, December 9, 2018, the Consolidated Dispatch Agency (CDA) received a 911 call from someone saying they heard a female screaming in the area of the J. Lewis Hall Park on Old Woodville Highway.

Responding deputies arrived and found a vehicle in the area of the park. When deputies approached the vehicle on foot, they saw a passenger in the back seat. The driver then fled at a high rate of speed. Deputies began to search the area for the vehicle.

As deputies looked for the vehicle, another call came into the CDA, reporting the sound of an explosion in the area of Old Woodville Highway and Canyon Creek Drive. As they arrived on scene, they found a vehicle engulfed in flames and a deceased male outside of the vehicle. The male appeared to have been ejected from the vehicle when it crashed into a tree at a high rate of speed. The vehicle matched the description of the vehicle deputies saw fleeing the park.

Once the fire was extinguished, human remains were also located in the back seat of the car.

The male found deceased outside of the vehicle has been identified as 22 year old Lamorris Gibson.

Deputies are still working to positively identify the other person in the vehicle.



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