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## LCSO Investigating Two Homicides; Makes Arrest in One

Friday morning, November 23, 2018, Leon County Sheriff's Office patrol deputies were patrolling in the area of Back Forest Road and located a vehicle behind Woodville Ball Park. While investigating the vehicle, deputies located 38 year old Dewayne Nelson inside, deceased with obvious signs of foul play. An autopsy was scheduled for this morning.

The circumstances surrounding Nelson's death are still under investigation.

In an unrelated incident, Friday night LCSO deputies received a call from the Gadsden County Sheriff's Office, requesting a welfare check of 51 year old Georgette Crawford. Crawford resides in the 500 block of Osceola Street. GCSO said 53 year old Anthony Nealy showed up at a family member's house in Gadsden County with blood on his clothes, saying he had killed Crawford.

LCSO Deputies located Crawford, inside the residence, deceased from stab wounds.

As a result of the investigation, Nealy was arrested and booked into the Leon County Detention Facility charged with First Degree Homicide.



**ARRESTED:** Anthony Jerome Nealy

12/22/1964

**CHARGES:** First Degree Murder



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