

INFORMATION: HOMICIDE		2019-50.1
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On Sunday, October 6, 2019 at approximately 1:30 a.m., Winnebago County Deputies were dispatched to Cronie's Bar, 9032 N. Second St., in Machesney Park for a person shot. Upon arrival, Deputies found a male with a gunshot wound. The victim was transported by ambulance to Javon Bea Hospital Riverside where he was pronounced deceased. Witnesses reported that the victim was involved in an altercation shortly before being shot.

A short time later, Javon Bea Hospital Rockton reported that a male had arrived at the hospital with a gunshot wound. The victim was treated and released for a non-life threatening gunshot wound.

Winnebago County Detectives learned that there was a planned birthday party event at the bar. At this time, the suspect or suspects are not in custody, the investigation is ongoing and Sheriff Gary Caruana is requesting assistance from the public. Anyone with information regarding the shooting is asked to call the Winnebago County Sheriff's Department at 815-319-6400 or Crime Stoppers at 815-963-7867.