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South Beloit Man Arrested for Child Endangerment after Fatal Shooting

On Friday September 15, 2023 at approximately 8:00 p.m., Winnebago County Sheriff's Department Deputies responded to the 200 block of Townline Avenue, South Beloit for a shooting. Upon arrival, Deputies located a 10 year-old boy suffering from a gunshot wound. The boy was transported to a local hospital where he was pronounced deceased.

After an investigation into the incident, the facts of the case have been reviewed with the Winnebago County States Attorney Office who authorized the following charges:

Jose M Sandovaltenorio, 30 years old, of South Beloit, IL

- Child Endangerment
- No FOID

These charges against Jose M. Sandovaltenorio are merely accusations and he should be presumed innocent until found guilty in a court of law.

Detectives from the Winnebago County Sheriff's Department are conducting a follow up investigation. Please follow the Winnebago County Sheriff's Office on social media for further updates.

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