



# Brooksville Police Department

## Media Release



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Hernando County Crime Stoppers 1-866-990-8477 (TIPS)

Date: August 4, 2017

**Incident #:** 2017-002420

**INCIDENT:** Death investigation

**WHEN:** August 4, 2017 at approximately 6:28 pm

**WHERE:** South of Oakdale Avenue on Sharon Street on a vacant piece of property

**NARRATIVE:** On August 4, 2017, the Brooksville Police Department responded to a 911 call regarding a possible deceased person in a vacant area on Sharon Street in Brooksville. Responding officers determined that the remains were in fact human. The Brooksville Police Department and the Medical Examiner's Office are investigating the positive identity of the deceased.

Witness interviews coupled with the investigators examination revealed no signs of foul play. Located in a clothing garment of the deceased was the identification card of a reported missing person who suffered from mental and prescription drug dependencies. The investigation is ongoing.

If you have information regarding this crime, please contact Detective Schofield at the Brooksville Police Department at 352-540-3800. If you wish to remain anonymous, call the Hernando County Crime Stoppers Toll free at 1-866-990-8477 (TIPS) or you may email your tip by clicking below.

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