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CONTACT: High Point Police Department On Duty Watch Commander **336-883-8548 (Media Line)** 

## **INCIDENT TYPE – CRIMINAL HOMICIDE (WESTGATE DR)**

HIGH POINT, NC – On December 26, 2022, at 2247 hours, officers responded to 2719 Westgate Dr in reference to an AWDW (Gun). When officers arrived, they located a victim Keith Mcauthor Brown DOB: 12/03/1982 deceased from a gunshot wound. Detectives from the High Point Police Department arrived and began an investigation into this incident.

As a result of the investigation, **TYSHAUNE RISAIAH BETHEA (B/M 21 OF HIGH POINT)** was arrested and charged with second-degree murder in the death of Mr. Brown. This Homicide occurred because of an argument between these two men. Mr. Brown is the stepfather to Mr. Bethea.



12/27/2022 Booking Photo Tyshaune Risaiah Bethea

Mr. Bethea was taken to the Guilford County jail (High Point) and charged with second-degree murder and is being held under a \$500,000 bond. At this time no further information is being released.



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