



# Hampton Police Division Media Release

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**For Immediate Release**

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## **Suspect Arrested in Homicide Investigation: First Block of Coliseum Crossing**

The Hampton Police Division has arrested **Brandon Lee-Davis Berkley** in connection with the homicide that occurred on July 5, 2013 in the first block of Coliseum Crossing.

At 12:56 p.m., Hampton Communications received multiple calls in reference to a shooting in the first block of Coliseum Crossing. Upon officer's arrival they located, **Brieanna Bell**, a 20-year-old Newport News resident, in the parking lot who had suffered from gunshot wounds to the upper torso. Members of the Hampton Fire and Rescue Division responded to the scene and pronounced the victim deceased.

The investigation reveals that the victim was in a vehicle with additional occupants, when a verbal altercation ensued. The altercation escalated, shots were fired and the victim was struck. On July 8, 2013, **Brandon Lee-Davis Berkley**, a 26-year-old Newport News man that resides in the 300 block of Kass Court, was arrested and charged with one count of Homicide and one count of Use of a Firearm in Commission of a Felony.

Corporal Mary Shackelford will receive questions about this release at 757-727-6608.

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