

FORT LAUDERDALE POLICE DEPARTMENT PRESS RELEASE

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DROWNING

The Fort Lauderdale Police Department is investigating a drowning that occurred on Monday, September 1st between 6:45 P.M. and 7:30 P.M. The incident took place in the ocean at the Fort Lauderdale Beach Park located at 800 Seabreeze Boulevard in the City of Fort Lauderdale.

The victim has been identified as Brandon Myrick, B/M, 12/05/04, a resident of the City of Lauderdale Lakes.

Myrick was swimming with his cousin, Raymond Brave, when Brave lost sight of Myrick. Brave attempted to locate his cousin and was unsuccessful. Brave notified an on-duty Fort Lauderdale Ocean Rescue Lifeguard and Myrick was subsequently located in the water.

Myrick was rescued from the water and transported to Broward Health Medical Center where he was later pronounced decease.

No further information is available for release at this time.

Anyone who may have information about this incident should contact Detective Juan Cabrera at 954-828-5581.

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