

# LAKELAND POLICE DEPARTMENT

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## Media Release

**Issuing Authority: Sergeant Terri Smith, PIO**

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## Lakeland Police Arrest Suspect in Homicide Case



James Milliken, Victim  
DOB: 8/19/40



Sabrina Stevenson, Suspect  
DOB: 7/5/66

Lakeland Police have arrested Sabrina Stevenson, DOB: 7/5/66, for First Degree Murder in the death of victim, James Milliken, DOB: 8/19/40. Earlier today, police responded to 1030 West Walnut Street at approximately 8:30 am after a citizen made a report of some suspicious material found in a dumpster in the area near apartments at this location.

When officers arrived and investigated an area near the dumpster, a body later identified as James Milliken, was found concealed by debris. It was later determined that Milliken had died from knife wounds. Milliken had been living in apartment 105 with girlfriend, Sabrina Stevenson.

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No further information will be released today. Media may contact Sergeant Terri Smith, 863-834-6917 tomorrow for further information.