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News Advisory

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EBRSO Responds to Drowning in Amite River

East Baton Rouge Sheriff's deputies along with the St. George Fire Department responded to reports of a drowning at 4:10 pm on Horseshoe Bend (off of Hoo Shoo Too).

Jason Hamilton Jr., 25, of 5823 East Crown Ave. was located in the Amite River by East Side Fire Department divers shortly after 7:00 p.m.

According to reports Hamilton was swimming in the River with two other individuals when he went under the water, but did not resurface.

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