

Atlantic City Man Arrested for Murder Outside Martinique Motel

ATLANTIC CITY, NJ – On Monday, August 4, 2025, an investigation by the Atlantic County Prosecutor's Office and the Atlantic City Police Department led to the arrest of Sheldon Ward, 26, of Atlantic City, NJ, for the July 28, 2025, murder of Kendell Roseborough, 28, also of Atlantic City. Ward was taken into custody, without incident, by the United States Marshals Task Force.

Ward was charged with Murder, Aggravated Assault, Aggravated Assault with a Deadly Weapon, Unlawful Possession of a Weapon, and Conspiracy to Commit Murder. Ward was detained at the Atlantic County Justice Facility.

On Monday, July 28, 2025, at approximately 10:30 p.m., the Atlantic City Police Department received a 911 call regarding a male lying on the sidewalk outside of the Martinique Motel, 3029 Pacific Avenue, Atlantic City, NJ. Police arrived on scene and located a male, identified as Kendell Roseborough unresponsive with what appeared to be one gunshot wound. Roseborough was pronounced deceased on scene a short time later. The cause of death was determined to be a gunshot wound. The manner of death is a homicide.

*****These charges are merely an accusation and not proof of guilt. In all criminal cases, a charged defendant is presumed innocent unless and until proven guilty.*****

Anyone with information about this incident or other serious crimes is asked to call the Atlantic County Prosecutor's Office's Major Crimes Unit at 609-909-7666 or go to the Prosecutor's Office Website at ACPO.Tips and provide information by filling out the form anonymously on the Submit a Tip page.

Crime Stoppers: People can also call Crime Stoppers at 609-652-1234 or 1-800-658-8477 (TIPS) or visit the Crime Stoppers Website at <http://www.crimestoppersatlantic.com/>. Crime Stoppers offers cash rewards for information leading to the arrest and indictment of those who commit crimes in Atlantic County.



Sheldon Ward

