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St. Charles Parish Deputies Shoot Domestic Violence Suspect In Bayou Gauche, La.

On Sunday, June 2, 2024, around 9:26 PM, deputies from the St. Charles Parish Sheriff's Office were dispatched to 3911 LA 306 (Bayou Gauche Road) following a report of a domestic violence incident. A woman had called in, reporting that her boyfriend was holding a gun to her head.

Deputies arrived on the scene and positioned themselves outside the residence, where they called for 26-year-old Dalton Todd to come to the street. When Todd emerged, he was in possession of a handgun. Despite orders to disarm himself, he refused, prompting deputies to deploy less-than-lethal beanbag rounds in an attempt to subdue him. However, these measures proved ineffective. Todd then advanced towards the deputies with the weapon in his hand, forcing deputies to discharge their firearms, striking Todd in the upper legs. He was airlifted to University Hospital, where he is reported to be in stable condition.

This incident is under active investigation.