

The Henderson County Sheriffs Office is investigating an apparent stabbing that took place in the early morning hours of October 6th, in Edneyville. The Sheriffs Office E911 center received the call at 12:57 and patrol deputies responded to the scene. Deputies arrived at the location off of Piney View Drive in a migrant labor camp, at 1:09 and found a Hispanic male who appeared to have been stabbed. Due to the severity of injury, the victim was air lifted to Mission St James Hospital in Asheville.

Sheriff Rick Davis states that "Investigation into the incident is still ongoing and that no arrests have been made at this point. Investigators from our Criminal Investigations Division have the case now and are in the process of interviewing witnesses and evaluating evidence."

It is uncertain how the incident evolved, however at least one witness stated that an altercation developed over a card game. Besides that uncorroborated piece of information investigators have not received much help in the way of information that could identify the assailant or even to positively identify the victim. Investigators plan to interview the victim as soon as doctors determine he is able to answer questions. It is our understanding that the victim is expected to recover although is still in serious condition at this time.