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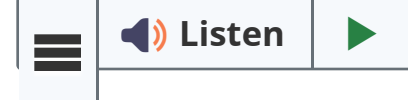


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Decedent Identified Homicide: 4700 Block of 1st Street, Southwest

Monday, January 23, 2023

Detectives from the Metropolitan Police Department's Homicide Branch are investigating a homicide that occurred on Saturday, January 21, 2023, in the 4700 block of 1st Street, Southwest.

At approximately 10:41 pm, members of the Seventh District responded to the listed location for the report of a shooting. Upon arrival, the members located an adult male victim, inside a residential building, suffering from apparent gunshot wounds. DC Fire and Emergency Medical Services responded to the scene and after finding no signs consistent with life, the victim remained on the scene until transported to the Office of the Chief Medical Examiner.

The decedent has been identified as **56-year-old Morgan Francis**, of Southwest, DC.

The Metropolitan Police Department currently offers a reward of up to **\$25,000** to anyone that provides information which leads to the arrest and conviction of the person or persons responsible for each homicide committed in the District of Columbia. Anyone with information about this case is asked to call the police at **202-727-9099**. Additionally, anonymous information may be submitted to the department's **TEXT TIP LINE** by sending a text message to **50411**.

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