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Second Progress Report: Four suspects arrested for Murder in connection of death of Knysna Ward Councillor

Thorough investigation by the SAPS Western Cape Provincial Task Team into the death of Victor Molosi(50) led to the arrest of four (4) more suspects last night, Tuesday,14 August 2018, in Knysna and Cape Town respectively.

The integrated task team which comprises members from the Provincial Organised Crime Unit, Eden Cluster Detectives, Knysna Detectives and Eden Cluster Crime Intelligence, was established to investigate this case. Their tireless efforts paid dividends when the investigation took them to Cape Town where two suspects (both 37-years-old) were arrested yesterday. Simultaneously, further investigation into this matter led to the arrests of another two suspects, aged 58 and-42-years-old at their residence in Knysna. Thus bringing the total arrests for the day to four and standing on five for the entire investigation.

One of the suspects aged 58-years-old, is a current serving Councillor on the Knysna Municipal Council.

These suspects, aged between 37 and 58, will be charged for Conspiracy to Commit Murder as well as Murder and are scheduled to appear in the Knysna Magistrates' court Thursday, 16 August 2018.

The bail application for the first suspect, Mandla Tyololo(39) who was arrested for Conspiracy to Commit Murder, is supposed to be heard in the Knysna magistrates' court today, 15 August 2018.

Investigation into this matter continues.

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