## (Update) Sudden Death Investigation - King William Road

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Update: December 18, 2024, 10:00 a.m.

Arrests have been made in connection with an ongoing homicide investigation.

As a result of an ongoing investigation by the Saint John Police Major Crime Unit, three arrests have been made.

On December 11, 2024, a 56-year-old man was taken into custody for accessory after the fact to murder. He remains in custody and is scheduled to appear in court on December 27<sup>th</sup>, 2024.

On December 12, 2024, a 44-year-old woman was taken into custody for first-degree murder and indignity to human remains. She remains in custody and is scheduled to appear in court on January 10, 2025.

On December 16, 2024, a 65-year-old man was taken into custody for conspiracy to commit murder and accessory after the fact to murder. He remains in custody and is scheduled to appear in court on December 27, 2024.

The Saint John Police would like to thank the public for their tips during this investigation as well as members of the RCMP and the Department of Public Safety for their assistance.

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Update: August 6, 2024, 8:30 a.m.

The human remains discovered on Thursday, August 1, 2024, have been positively identified as those of Allan Lee, a 52-year-old resident of Saint John. Lee's body was found in a wooded area off King William Road in West Saint John.

## **Extensive Search and Investigation**

On Friday, August 2, 2024, detectives conducted an exhaustive search of the wooded area where the body was located. The search involved multiple resources, including police canine units, grid searches, and aerial drone surveillance.

As a result of an autopsy performed on Saturday, August 3, 2024, detectives believe that Lee's death occurred as a result of a homicide. Detectives continue to conduct searches, canvasses, and interviews. Evidence obtained in relation to the investigation is being examined by members of the Forensic Identification Unit.

## **Appeal for Information**

The Major Crime Unit continues to investigate. Detectives are appealing for witnesses or anyone in the area of King William Road that has video footage or surveillance of the incident at the time it occurred.

Anyone with information related to this case is urged to contact the Saint John Police Force at 1-506-648-3333. For those who wish to remain anonymous, Crime Stoppers can be reached at 1-800-222-8477 or 1-800-222-T.I.P.S.

The Saint John Police Force extends its deepest condolences to the friends and family of Allan Lee.

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The Saint John Police are investigating a suspicious death after locating human remains in a wooded area off the King William Road in West Saint John.

It is reported that:

On Thursday, August 1, 2024, at approximately 7:08 p.m., police responded to a report of human remains located in a wooded area off the King William Road.

Upon arrival, police located human remains that have been identified as a 52-year-old Saint John man. The identity of the deceased is not being released to the public at this time.

The Major Crime Unit, Forensic Services, and Coroner were called to investigate. An autopsy has been scheduled for Saturday, August 3, 2024.

Detectives are appealing for witnesses or anyone with video footage that captures King William Road.

Anyone with information is asked to contact the Saint John Police Force at 1-506-648-3333, or if you wish to remain anonymous, contact Crime Stoppers at 1-800-222-8477 or 1-800-222-T.I.P.S.

At this time, the Saint John Police are not aware of any information to suggest the general public is at risk.

The Saint John Police sends our condolences to the family and friends of the deceased at this most difficult time.

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