

## MOUNT PROSPECT POLICE DEPARTMENT



112 E. Northwest Highway, Mount Prospect, Illinois 60056

 John Koziol
 (847) 870-5656

 Chief of Police
 Fax: (847) 392-1070

February 17, 2018

For Immediate Release Contact: Officer Greg Sill 847-870-5656

## PRESS RELEASE-UPDATE Homicide Investigation



**Vladimir Esquivel** 

On Saturday, February 17, 2018, an autopsy of the unidentified deceased male victim was conducted by the Cook County Medical Examiner's Office. During the autopsy, the identity of the victim was confirmed to be Vladimir Esquivel, 29 years old, of the 1700 block of East Northwest Highway, Arlington Heights. It was determined that Esquivel died due to multiple gunshot wounds. Esquivel's death has now been ruled a homicide by the Cook County Medical Examiner's Office. Detectives believe this homicide was not a random act and the community should not feel in danger.

Detectives continue to investigate and ask anyone with information pertaining to this crime contact the Mount Prospect Police Department Detective Bureau at 847-870-5654. Anonymous tips can be made to Crime Stoppers of Mount Prospect by calling 847-590-7867 or texting MPPD and your tip to 274637. Tips made through Crime Stoppers of Mount Prospect that lead to the arrest and prosecution of the offender(s) could be eligible for a cash reward of up to \$1,000.

#~#~#