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## DA ANNOUNCES INVESTIGATION INTO HOMICIDE IN LOWER MERION

NORRISTOWN, Pa. (Aug. 23, 2018) — Montgomery County District Attorney Kevin R. Steele and Lower Merion Township Police Superintendent Michael J. McGrath announce the investigation into a homicide that occurred in the 100 block of Sibley Avenue in Ardmore.

At approximately 9:15 p.m., Wednesday, Aug. 22, Lower Merion Township Police responded to call to check on the welfare of an occupant. Upon entry, the officers located a deceased 36-year-old female in the bedroom.

The identity of the deceased is being withheld pending family notification. An autopsy performed at the Montgomery County Coroner's Office determined the cause of death was ligature strangulation and manner of death homicide.

There does not appear to be any current concern to residents in the area.

Anyone with information regarding this homicide is asked to contact the Lower Merion Police Department at 610-649-1000 or the Montgomery County Detective Bureau at 610-278-3368.

Approved for release:

Kevin R. Steele