

MEDIA RELEASE

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RE: Death Investigation

Fountain, Colorado - On Monday, March 19 2018, at approximately 10:27pm, Officers with the Fountain Police Department responded to a home in the 100 block of Cherry Circle, to investigate a shooting incident.

When Officers arrived on scene, they discovered an adult male was inside the home and deceased from multiple gunshot wounds. The victim was identified as 53 year old Fountain resident, Michael Porter. The suspect in the shooting is identified as the victim's son, 27 year old David Porter. The suspect also lived in the home with the victim and it is believed the shooting occurred during a family disturbance.

David Porter was arrested on the charge of First Degree Murder and was transported to the El Paso County Criminal Justice Center without bond.

There is no booking photograph of David Porter at the time of this release.

This is an active and ongoing investigation and any new information will only be released from this office when/if it is appropriate.

Anyone with information regarding this investigation, is asked to contact the Fountain Police Department at 719-382-8555 or if you wish to remain anonymous, you may call Crime Stoppers Tip Line at (719) 634-STOP (7867) or 1-800-222-8477.

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