

Media Information



Columbus Division of Police
Major Crimes Bureau / Homicide Unit

Date: 10/22/2020

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Type of Offense/Incident: Homicide

Date: 10/22/20

Time: 10:57PM

Location of Offense/Incident: 3479 Riverside Dr.

Zone: 3

Precinct: 15

Incident Report #: 200797625

Cruiser District: 153

Victim: Kathleen Boyuk (Deceased)

Sex: Female

Race: White

Age: 75

Victim:

Sex:

Race:

Age:

Victim:

Sex:

Race:

Age:

Suspect: Walter Boyuk

Address: 3817 Ridgewood Dr.

☒ **Arrested** ☐ **Warrant on File**

Sex: Male

Race: White

Age: 77

Charges: Murder

Suspect:

Address:

☐ **Arrested** ☐ **Warrant on File**

Sex:

Race:

Age:

Charges:

Incident Summary:

On Thursday, October 22, 2020, at 10:57AM, Columbus Police Officers were called to the area of 3479 Riverside Dr. on a report of a woman slumped over in the driver's seat of a parked car. On arrival, officers found Kathleen Boyuk suffering from an apparent gunshot wound. CFD Medic 30 transported Ms. Boyuk from the scene to Riverside Hospital in critical condition. Ms. Boyuk did not survive her injuries and was pronounced deceased by attending physicians at 11:36AM.

The investigation revealed that Ms. Boyuk was murdered by her husband, Walter Boyuk.

Anyone with information regarding this incident, is asked to call Columbus Police Homicide Unit at (614) 645-4730 or Central Ohio Crime Stoppers at (614) 461-TIPS (8477). This is the 133rd homicide investigation and the 132nd homicide in Columbus Ohio in Calendar Year 2020. Incident #200797625. Detective Huffman is the lead detective on the case and is being assisted by Detective Arnold.

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