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Update re. Homicide of Clinton Hattaway

Homicide detectives have now advised that based on accounts they have received regarding last night's homicide, it does not appear that Hattaway was the victim of a carjacking.

Detectives now believe that Hattaway had gone to the area of 22 Avenue South and 47 Street in his pick-up truck to meet an individual known to him.

While there, he became involved in an altercation with another individual that culminated in his receiving the blunt force injuries which lead to his death.

After the altercation, it believed that a third party then got into Hattaway's truck and drove it to the area of 4601 22 Avenue South where it was abandoned.

Detectives are still in the midst of attempting to speak with several individuals involved and until such time as that had been accomplished, I do not anticipate any new updates.

Information provided by Mike Puetz

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