



GRANT COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE

SEEKING INFO

HOMICIDE OF WOMAN AND UNBORN CHILD—MATTAWA



HOMICIDE VICTIM
Esperanza Vicenté-Mestizo

**AROUND 11 P.M. ON SATURDAY, FEB. 11, 2012,
ESPERANZA VICENTÉ-MESTIZO
WAS UNLOADING GROCERIES FROM HER MINIVAN
AT HER APARTMENT IN THE
500 BLOCK OF THIRD PLACE IN MATTAWA.**

**A MAN WEARING A BLACK HOODED SWEATSHIRT WALKED
UP TO HER AND SHOT HER SEVERAL TIMES
WITH A HANDGUN.
THE MAN THEN RAN AWAY ON FOOT.**

**ESPERANZA, 7½ MONTHS PREGNANT AND
THE MOTHER OF THREE CHILDREN UNDER THE AGE OF 12,
DIED ALONG WITH HER UNBORN CHILD.**

**THERE IS NO OBVIOUS CONNECTION
TO GANG OR DRUG ACTIVITY, AND IT IS UNCLEAR
WHY ESPERANZA WAS TARGETED.**

**DETECTIVES ARE ASKING THE PUBLIC
FOR ANY INFORMATION WHICH MAY LEAD THEM
TO THE PERSON OR PERSONS RESPONSIBLE.**

**ANYONE WITH POSSIBLE INFORMATION SHOULD CALL
SHERIFF'S MAJOR CRIMES DETECTIVES 509-754-2011 EXT. 468
OR EMAIL CRIMETIPS@CO.GRANT.WA.US.**

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