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State's Attorney's Update on July 8 Officer-Involved Shooting

St. Charles, Ill. - At 3 p.m. this afternoon, Kane County State's Attorney Jamie L. Mosser met with members of the Kane County Major Crimes Task Force for a preliminary review of the evidence collected related to the July 8 officer-involved shooting. The Major Crimes Task Force comprises law enforcement officers throughout Kane County. They provide timely and independent assistance to member agencies that become involved in a major investigation, such as an officer-involved shooting. Today's meeting involved law enforcement from Elgin, Batavia, St. Charles, Carpentersville, Geneva, Montgomery, North Aurora, and South Elgin.

Pursuant to the Police and Community Relations Improvement Act, 50 ILCS 727/et al, State's Attorney Mosser shall review any investigation of any officer involved death.

State's Attorney Mosser can report that, on July 8 at approximately 4:35 p.m., the Elgin Police Department received a call of a shooting near the intersection of Walnut Avenue and National Street. The incident involved an off-duty Kane County Sheriff's Deputy. The shooting was fatal.

The Kane County Major Crimes Task Force is handling the entirety of the ongoing investigation. Outside of having officers assigned to the Major Crimes Task Force, the Elgin Police Department is not handling the investigation.

Every case involving the use of deadly force by a police officer, whether on or off duty, must be carefully and thoroughly investigated. State's Attorney Mosser will not release any further information regarding this incident until the investigation is complete. These investigations typically take a few months, at which time the State's Attorney will issue a full report outlining the investigation's findings and conclusion. This policy preserves the integrity of the investigation and the privacy of individuals involved in the investigation prior to any public charging for violations of the law. It also serves to protect the rights of people not yet charged

with a crime.

State's Attorney Mosser would like to thank the public for their patience as the Major Crimes Task Force completes its investigation and her office conducts a full review of Monday's incident.

State's Attorney Mosser extends her condolences to the family of the individual who died.

Any questions should be directed to the Kane County State's Attorney's Office Public Information Officer.

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