



PRESS RELEASE

BROOMFIELD POLICE DEPARTMENT

Type of Incident: *Homicide*
Location: 2500 Block of W. 134th Circle
Date and Time Occurred: Saturday, August 17, 2013
Case Report #: 13-4395

On Saturday, August 17, 2013 at 6:23 a.m., Officers responded to a report of a welfare check in the 2500 block of W. 134th Cir. When they arrived, they found a 34 year-old Westminster man, lying deceased in the street.

The investigation revealed there had been an altercation at the suspect's residence, between the victim and the suspect, which allegedly resulted in the victim's death. The victim's name will not be released at this time, pending notification of family.

At approximately 2:30 p.m., Matthew P. Burnett (07/29/81) of Broomfield, was arrested and lodged with no bond at the Broomfield County Detention Facility. Burnett was charged with murder in the first degree and tampering with physical evidence. His first court appearance will be Monday, August 19, 2013 at 8:30 a.m. at the Broomfield Combined Courts.

The investigation continues and no further information is available at this time.

Sergeant _____
303-438-6400

Commander _____
Supervisor's Signature

Date