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On December 29, 2015 the Allen County Coroner's Office was notified of the death of Randy Lee Dial, male white 46 years of age, from Fort Wayne, Indiana. Mr. Dial was admitted into a local hospital on December 28, 2015 in critical condition from blunt force injuries received. Mr. Dial did not recover from the injuries and death was pronounced on December 29, 2015. Notification of the death was made to the next of kin.

An autopsy was performed on December 30, 2015 with the Cause of Death was ruled Blunt Force Injuries of the Head and the Manner of Death was ruled Homicide.

Mr. Dial is the 30th homicide victim in Allen County for 2015.

This incident remains under investigation by the Fort Wayne Police Department, the Allen County Coroner's Office and the Allen County Prosecuting Attorney's Office.

Michael Burris
Chief Investigator
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