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### ***NEWS RELEASE***

For Immediate Release

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#### **Up to \$10,000 Reward Offered in Indian Trail Homicide**

Union County Crimestoppers has offered up to \$5000.00 for information leading to the arrest of the person(s) responsible for the murder of 87 year old Indian Trail resident, **Sim Augusta "S.A." Flowe**. In addition to the Crimestoppers reward, Governor Roy Cooper issued a reward proclamation last week announcing the issuance of a Governor's Reward up to \$5000.00 for information leading to the arrest and conviction of those responsible.

On September 6, 2017, Union County Sheriff's Deputies responded to Mr. Flowe's residence located at 3108 Gribble Road after Stallings Police Officers went there that morning to conduct a well-being check. Stallings Police located Mr. Flowe's deceased body in a residential office, an apparent victim of a homicide. It was determined that Flowe's residence was situated just inside the Indian Trail Town limits and as a result, the Union County Sheriff's Office assumed jurisdiction of the case. The NC State Bureau of Investigation has also been assisting with this investigation.

An autopsy revealed that Mr. Flowe suffered from multiple stab wounds and the motive for the murder is likely robbery. However, after conducting numerous interviews and following up on leads, investigators have not conclusively identified the person(s) responsible and detectives believe the reward money will generate new information needed to move the case forward.

If you have information about this murder, please call Union County Crimestoppers at 704-283-5600.

Point of contact for this press release is Chief Communications Officer Tony Underwood, 704-292-2707.

Citizens with information concerning criminal activity are encouraged to call:

**Union County Sheriff's Office** at 704-283-3789

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**Union County Crimestoppers** at 704-283-5600

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