



MEDIA UPDATE

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MEC MCHUNU COMMENDS THE POLICE FOR APPREHENDING SUSUPECTS FOLLOWING A KILLING IN NDWENDWE

KZN MEC for Transport, Community Safety and Liaison, Mr Willies Mchunu has commended the police for apprehending two suspects wanted for the **murder** of Mvuseni Ntuli who was stoned to death at Ndwedwe.

On the 13 October 2011 it is believe that Ntuli was attacked and suspects bombarded his homestead with stones. Ntuli (52) was assaulted and died **on route to** the local clinic.

The suspects then proceeded to another homestead in the vicinity where they attacked and robbed a 21-year-old victim of her cellphone. Two cases of murder and **one of** robbery were opened and **an** investigation is underway. One suspect was arrested on Friday, 14 October 2011 and was charged with murder and robbery. The second suspect (21) was arrested yesterday (20 October 2011).

MEC complimented the officers of a job well done

“I would like to commend the police for the hard work they displayed by acting swiftly to find these perpetrators. I appeal **to communities to stand together to root out any criminal activities or crime by working with police. No criminals should feel safe to operate. I would like to send my condolences to the Ntuli family”, said Mchunu.**

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