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Good morning David,

After an autopsy and consultation with the Medical Examiner, the death has been determined to be the result of a suicide.

No additional details will be released out of privacy for the family.

Thank you,

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On Mon, Jun 10, 2019 at 4:52 PM Asheville Blade <[ashevilleblade@gmail.com](mailto:ashevilleblade@gmail.com)> wrote:

Is the APD considering the death of Catherine Mary Kelliher, found dead May 27, a homicide? If so, is it under investigation?

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