PRESS RELEASE
KETCHIKAN POLICE DEPARTMENT
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On 4/18/22 at approximately 10:30 am, officers from the Ketchikan Police Department responded to a residence in the 400 block of Mission Street due to the report of a female being stabbed multiple times. Officers contacted the 31 year old victim, who was observed to have multiple stab wounds, blunt force trauma, and evidence of being strangled. The victim was transported to the Ketchikan Medical Center for treatment. She was stable but in critical condition.

During the course of the investigation, the suspect was identifed as Ethan R. Bolton, a 32 year old Ketchikan resident. Mr. Bolton was arrested for Assault in the First Degree – Domestic Violence. He transported to the Ketchikan Correctional Center and held without bail.