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MAN CHARGED IN GIRLFRIEND'S MURDER

Denver District Attorney Mitch Morrissey has formally charged a man accused in the death of 23-year-old Araceli Miranda.

Jose Vallejo-Cano (dob: 02-23-91) is charged with *first-degree murder, after deliberation* (F1).

On October 29, 2016, the body of the victim was found in the back seat of a car in the 4800 block of Kingston Street; she had been strangled. Her boyfriend, Vallejo-Cano, was found hiding nearby and was taken into custody.

He remains in custody in the Denver Detention Center where he is being held without bond. His next court date has not yet been set.

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The filing of a criminal charge is merely a formal accusation that an individual(s) committed a crime(s) under Colorado laws. A defendant is presumed innocent until and unless proven guilty. See Colo. RPC 3.6