

## **Press Information**

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CONTENT: RALLY TO PREVENT PAROLE OF A HEINOUS MURDERER

ON OCTOBER 22, 2012 AT 8:00 AM, THE MEDEIROS FAMILY FOLLOWING A PETITION OF OVER 1,000 SIGNATURES WILL BE HAVING A RALLY IN EFFORTS TO KEEP FRANK MONIZ BEHND BARS.

THE ALLIANCE FOR SAFE COMMUNITIES SUPPORTS THEIR EFFORTS AND WILL RALLY WITH THE FAMILY AND MANY OTHERS THAT DAY. IT IS IN OUR OPINION THAT AN INDIVIDUAL WHO ONLY OFFERS ONLY EXCUSES FOR THEIR ACTIONS RATHER THAN OWNERSHIP, DEMONSTRATES NO REMORSE OR ACCOUNTABILITY FOR WHAT THEY HAVE DONE. FRANK MONIZ BRUTALLY STABBED AND SLASHED HIS EX-WIFE, MARYELLEN MEDEIROS, 52 TIMES. MR. MONIZ EXAGERATED EXCUSES DID NOT PASS THE TEST OF A GRAND JURY DECISION. MR. MONIZ SHOULD HAVE RECEIVED A SENTENCE OF LIFE WITH OUT PAROLE HAD IT NOT BEEN FOR THE ACTIONS OF A JUDGE PERCEIVED TO BE BIASED RATHER THAN JUDICIALLY PRUDENT. IT IS NOW LEFT TO THE PAROLE BOARD TO MAKE A DECISION REGARDING MR.MONIZ FATE. THE ALLIANCE HAS REQUESTED THEM TO CONSIDER THE RISK TO SOCIETY IF RELEASING HIM, AND TO EMPATHIZE WITH THE SUFFERING AND LOSS THE MEDEIROS FAMILY HAVE ENDURED FROM LOSING MARYELLEN WHICH IN AN ESSENCE HAS BECOME A "LIFE SENTENCE" FOR THEM.

RALLY AT DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS BLDG#508 HARRINGTON HALL

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