

## KAUFFMAN'S DRUG RING

Atlantic County Prosecutor Damon G. Tyner identified Ferdinand Augello, 61, of the Petersburg section of Upper Township, as Kauffman's alleged co-conspirator in both the drug ring and the murder-for-hire. The prescription opioid drug ring included more than 200 recruiters, Tyner said.



**James Kauffman** charged with racketeering, leader of racketeering and murder.



**Ferdinand Augello**, 61, of Petersburg (Upper Township) was charged with leader of racketeering, murder of April Kauffman, conspiracy to commit murder of James Kauffman and of racketeering.

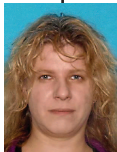
Augello found Francis Mullholland to shoot and kill April Kauffman in exchange for \$20,000, authorities said. Mullholland died of a drug overdose in October 2013, Tyner said.



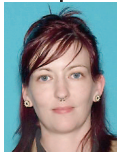
**Joseph Mulholland**, 52, of Villas, was charged with racketeering.



**Unknown suspect**



**Beverly Augello**, 47, of Summerland Keys, Florida, was charged with racketeering.



**Tabitha Chapman**, 35, of Absecon, was charged with racketeering.



**Paul Pagano**, 61, of Egg Harbor Township, was charged with racketeering.



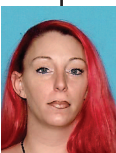
**Glenn Seeler**, 37, of Sanford, North Carolina, was charged with racketeering.



**Francis Mulholland (deceased)**  
Hired to kill April Kauffman



**Unknown suspect**



**Cheryl Pizza**, 36, of Murrells Inlet, South Carolina, was charged with racketeering.