



ST. LOUIS COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE NEWS RELEASE

INCIDENT DATE: October 19th, 2014 INCIDENT TIME: 1402hrs
INCIDENT LOCATION: Stoney Brook Twp, St. Louis County, MN

INDIVIDUAL(S) INVOLVED: (Refer to News Media Policy-Rules III A. I Thru 4: Procedures B.1, A thru J & 1; 2b; 3b; g & h; 4a, b, & c)

Name: Native American Female (deceased)	Age: 31	Address: Stoney Brook Twp.
Name: Shawn Elson Randall	Age: 31	Address: Cloquet, MN
Name: Lydia Marie Barney	Age: 21	Address: Stoney Brook Twp.
Name:	Age:	Address:

INCIDENT SUMMARY:

The St. Louis County Sheriff's Office and The Fond Du Lac Police Department are investigating the death of a 31 year old Native American female resident of Stoney Brook Twp. Preliminary investigation leads officials to believe the death to be an act of violence. Shawn Elson Randall has been taken into custody reference the incident. The investigation is currently ongoing and Law Enforcement is seeking the help of the public in locating Lydia Marie Barney or any additional person(s) having information relating to this death. Barney is believed to have additional information pertinent to the investigation and her current whereabouts/welfare are unknown.

ASSISTING AGENCIES:

MN Bureau of Criminal Apprehension
Carlton County Sheriff's Office
Cloquet Police Department

AUTHORITY: Lieutenant Jason Lukovsky 336-4344 DATE : October 20th, 2014 TIME: 1530hrs

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION OR UPDATE:

Anyone wishing to provide information may do so by calling the St. Louis County Sheriff's Office Investigative line at 218-336-4350 or the 911 non-emergency line at 218-727-8770.

Please see attached photo of Barney.

AUTHORITY: _____ DATE : _____ TIME: _____



Lydia Maria Barney