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PRESS RELEASE

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Subject: Homicide

LPD Case #: 09-7438

Details: On 08/15/09 at approximately 10:45 pm Dewayne Henderson, transient of Lodi, was killed during an altercation. This is the only homicide to date in the City of Lodi.

A Lodi Police sergeant was told by an anonymous citizen that there was some type of fight in the area of Sacramento Street and DeForce Avenue. The sergeant arrived in the area seconds after being told of the altercation and saw three subjects huddled together. As the sergeant approached, he saw Henderson fall to the ground and the remaining two subjects attempted to walk away. The two were detained and the sergeant checked on Henderson. The sergeant discovered Henderson had been stabbed in the chest, so medics responded. Henderson was transported to Lodi Memorial Hospital, but he didn't survive the knife attack.

The two subjects, Craig Wonderlich 52 years old, and his girlfriend of 19 years Judith Fromm 43 years old, were both arrested and charged with homicide. Initial police investigation revealed the deceased was acquainted with Craig Wonderlich and Judith Fromm. The reason for the initial altercation isn't known at this time.



Craig Wonderlich

Judith Fromm

Persons with information on this or any criminal case or activity are encouraged to call Lodi Area Crimestoppers at 209-333-6771. You may remain anonymous and be eligible for a cash reward.