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District Attorney Nola Tedesco Foulston announces charges have been filed against Sharon K. Huddleston, Case No. 10CR2421, and Rhonda L. Pischel, Case No. 10CR2422, for the murder of Todd M. Stover in May 2000.

On May 27th, 2000, the body of an unidentified white male was discovered in Greenwood County, Kansas along County Road 933, about ½ mile south of US Highway 400. The body bore no identification or obvious signs of trauma. The Greenwood County Sheriff's Office and the Kansas Bureau of Investigation responded to the scene. The body was transported to Wichita and an autopsy was performed at the Sedgwick County Regional Forensic Science Center. The victim was identified via fingerprints as Todd M. Stover, a 37 year old white male who had been residing in the Wichita area. The autopsy was unable to determine a cause or manner of death.

In March 2010, investigators from the Park City Police Department (PCPD) developed information which indicated that Todd Stover may have been murdered in a Park City residence. Investigators from the PCPD, along with the KBI and the District Attorney's Office, began review of the case. The investigation led to charges of First Degree Murder being filed against Sharon K. Huddleston and Rhonda L. Pischel, both former residents of Park City who were living in the Joplin, Missouri area at the time of their arrest on July 28th, 2010. Investigators from the Joplin, MO Police Dept. assisted with the investigation and arrest of the suspects.

The defendants made their first appearance in District Court in Wichita on August 5th, 2010. The next scheduled appearance is preliminary hearing.

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