

BELOIT POLICE DEPARTMENT



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PRESS RELEASE

Incident Number: BE1426754

Date: 05/20/14

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Update

On 05/20/14 the suspect in the incident that occurred in the 900 block of 10th St., Christopher Rutherford, 40 years, Beloit was discharged from Mercy Hospital in Janesville. Upon his discharge, Rutherford was arrested for the following:

1st Degree Reckless Homicide Felony Fleeing Resulting in Death An Arrest Warrant / Commitment – Theft

Rutherford was transported directly to the Rock County Jail. It is expected that Rutherford will make his initial court appearance tomorrow.

The City of Beloit Police Department's investigation of the death of Sheila Rosenbaum is ongoing.

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Anyone with information in regards to this crime is encouraged to call the Beloit Police Department, 364-6801, or Beloit Area Crime Stoppers, 362-7463. Individuals may also text information to 274637 then type BACS + your message. Information leading to an arrest may be eligible for a cash reward up to \$1000.00.

Pursuant to the directive of the Wisconsin Supreme Court, as found in Supreme Court Rule 20:3:6 Trial Publicity, you are advised that a charge is merely an accusation and that a defendant is presumed innocent until and unless proven guilty.

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