



*Statement from Wasco County District Attorney and Wasco County Sheriff's Office*

**Press Release 3/19/23: Suspicious Death at Cherry Heights**

(THE DALLES, Ore.) On the morning of Saturday, March 18, 2023, a suspicious death was discovered near Cherry Heights in Wasco County, just outside The Dalles. The Wasco County Sheriff's Office is investigating this death for any criminal connections, with the assistance of regional law enforcement agencies. At the time of this release the death is still being investigated, and more information will be released as it becomes appropriate to do so.

**Press Release 3/20/23: Homicide at Cherry Heights**

(THE DALLES, Ore.) Amanda Harman was identified as the victim of the suspicious death. On March 20, 2023, an autopsy was conducted, and the results confirmed her death was a homicide. She was killed in the late hours of Friday March 17, 2023, near Cherry Heights, outside The Dalles. The Wasco County Sheriff's Office and District Attorney's Office, with the assistance of the Major Crimes Team, began investigating the homicide on Saturday, March 18. The Sheriff's Office asks anyone with a camera on Cherry Heights, near Ayers Drive, or with any possible information to contact law enforcement. Submit a tip online, through text, or phone call. An online tip can be submitted through The Dalles City Police website online tip form, Tip 411 <https://www.thedalles.org/departments/police/programs.php>. A text tip can be texted to TIP 411 (847-411). A phone tip should be directed to the Wasco County Sheriff's Office, 541-506-2580. Please ask for a detective. The investigation is ongoing, and more information will be released as it becomes appropriate to do so.

### **Press Release 3/27/23: Amanda Harman Homicide Update**

(THE DALLES, Ore.) Detectives from the Wasco County Sheriff's Office, the Wasco County District Attorney's Office, and the Major Crimes Team continue to actively investigate the homicide of Amanda Harman. Amanda was well liked, respected and loved by family and friends. At this point in the investigation, no arrest(s) have been made. It is always best to remain diligent and call Central Dispatch or 911 to report suspicious or concerning behavior. Detectives are actively processing evidence, following up on tips, and investigating this serious crime. Once again, we ask that anyone with any information directly related to Amanda's case continue to reach out to law enforcement. Thank you for your patience and understanding. With these types of crime investigation, limited information is released, as to not compromise the integrity of the investigation.

Tips can be submitted in one of three ways. An online tip can be submitted through The Dalles City Police website online tip form, Tip 411 <https://www.thedalles.org/departments/police/programs.php>. A text tip can be texted to TIP 411 (847-411). A phone tip should be directed to the Wasco County Sheriff's Office, 541-506-2580. Please ask for a detective. The investigation is ongoing, and more information will be released as it becomes appropriate to do so.

No additional information is available for release at this time.

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