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# **PRESS INFORMATION**

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**TYPE OF INCIDENT:** Homicide (Update)

**CASE NUMBER:** 20-00856

**GENERAL LOCATION:** 25100 Block of Josephine Avenue, Los Molinos

**DATE AND TIME OF INCIDENT:** May 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2020 around 7:46 AM

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**VICTIM #1:** Severs, Loreen May    **AGE:** 88

**ADDRESS:** Los Molinos

**VICTIM #2:** Severs, Homer Glenn    **AGE:** 91

**ADDRESS:** Los Molinos

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**Update:** On May 25<sup>th</sup>, 2020 an autopsy was performed on the elderly female victim at the Tehama County Sheriff's Office. She was positively identified as Loreen May Severs, age 88 of Los Molinos. It was confirmed during the autopsy that Mrs. Severs died from a single stab wound to the upper torso.

The male victim, was positively identified as Homer Glenn Severs, age 91, of Los Molinos. Mr. Severs is still hospitalized in a local area hospital and is listed in critical condition from his wounds. The Severs are husband and wife.

At this point the Tehama Major Crimes Unit is following up several leads in the investigation. The Major Crimes Unit is asking all Los Molinos

residents who have video surveillance systems and have footage between 5 am and 9 am on May 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2020 to contact the Major Crimes Unit at 529-7920 and ask for Captain Dave Kain, Lt. Jeff Garrett or Investigator Rob Bakken.

**SUMMARY OF INCIDENT:** On May 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2020 around 7:45 AM, deputies from the Tehama County Sheriff's Office were dispatched to the 25100 block of Josephine Avenue, regarding a stabbing incident.

Upon arrival, deputies located an elderly male suffering from a stab wound at a neighboring family member's residence. During a search of the Victim's residence deputies located an elderly female who was deceased from a suspected stab wound.

The elderly male victim was transported by helicopter to an area hospital. He was immediately rushed into surgery.

Suspects and motives are unknown at this time. The investigation is in its infancy and is an ongoing investigation.

The identity of both Victims has been withheld, pending notification to next of kin.

If you have any information regarding this investigation please contact Captain Dave Kain, Lt. Jeff Garrett or Investigator Rob Bakken at the Tehama Major Crimes Unit (TMCU) (530) 529-7920.