

Joe West photo.



Edward G. Holm  
PROSECUTING ATTORNEY

## CHARGING NOTIFICATION LETTER

DATE: 3-7-02

TO: TC 50

YOUR NUMBER: 73-17592-12

This office has charged the defendant(s) named in the attached information.

73-17592-12

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SUPERIOR COURT  
THURSTON COUNTY WA  
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BETTY J. GOULD, CLERK  
BY \_\_\_\_\_  
DEPUTY

To Dep/Det Haller Your Initials CH

(REVIEW, INITIAL, PUT IN YOUR LT'S. BOX)

To Lt. Watkins Your Initials BW

(REVIEW, INITIAL, PUT IN RECORDS' BOX)

**IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF WASHINGTON  
IN AND FOR THURSTON COUNTY**

STATE OF WASHINGTON,

Plaintiff,

vs.

**WILLIAM EARL COSDEN, JR.**  
DESC: WMA;6'1";193#;BLU;BRN  
DOB: 12/19/46  
SID: WA10744815; FBI: 626912P1  
BOOKING NO.

Defendant.

NO. 02 1 00368 4

**INFORMATION**

PHILIP HARJU  
Chief Criminal Deputy Prosecuting Attorney

Co-Defendant

Comes now the Prosecuting Attorney in and for Thurston County, Washington, and charges the defendant



JOHN D. SNAZA  
Sheriff

# THURSTON COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE

WASHINGTON

SINCE 1852

Tim Braniff, Undersheriff  
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## PUBLIC RECORDS REQUEST

Date of Request: 03-16-15 CASE NUMBER: 73-17592-12

Name of Requestor: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email Address of Requestor: \_\_\_\_\_

Type of Record or Incident: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Record or Incident: \_\_\_\_\_ Location of Incident: \_\_\_\_\_

Please describe the records you are requesting and any additional information that will assist us in locating this information for you as

73-17592-12

**From:** Florene Johnson  
**To:** pamelatroeppl@comcast.net  
**Date:** 8/17/2006 4:23:25 PM  
**Subject:** REPORT COPIES - 101C

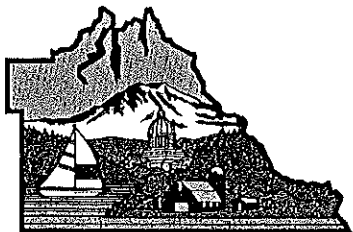
Dear Ms. Kinnaird,

I just finished copying the pages you requested. Due to the volume, 216 pages, I think it would be better for you to pick up the paperwork. Also I will require a check for \$32.40, which is a cost of fifteen cents per page. You can pick it the copies up anytime next week, 8:30 am thru 4:30 pm. Just give you name and ask for the Records Division. I will inform my co-workers that the paperwork is available.

You will notice information blacked out which is due to privacy issues; usually Date of Births, and social security numbers.

If you have any questions, I will be in the office on Tuesday, the 22nd of August.

Florene Johnson  
Records Manager  
Thurston County Sheriff's Office  
2000 Lakeridge Dr SW  
Olympia, WA. 98502  
Phone: (360) 786-5522  
Email: Johnsof@co.thurston.wa.us



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### PUBLIC RECORDS REQUEST

Date of Request:

8/21/2006

CASE NUMBER:

73-17592-12

Name of Requestor:

PAMELA A. TROEPL-KINNAIRD

Address:

17413-90<sup>th</sup> AVE Ct. E

City:

Puyallup

State:

WA

Zip:

98375

Phone:

(253)446-0949

Email Address of Requestor:

Type of Record or Incident:

HOMICIDE

Date of Record or Incident:

Location of Incident:

Please describe the records you are requesting and any additional information that will assist us in locating this information for you as

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PUBLIC RECORDS REQUEST

Date of Request: Aug 7 2006 CASE NUMBER: unknown 73-17952-12  
Name of Requestor: Pamela Troeppel (Kinnand)  
Address: 17413 90th Ave CT E City: Dayallup State: WA Zip: 98375  
Phone: (253) 446-0949 Email Address of Requestor: pamelatroeppel@comcast.net  
Type of Record or Incident: Murder Investigation of 101C  
Date of Record or Incident: Dec 1973 Location of Incident: M. McKenny Park

Please describe the records you are requesting and any additional information that will assist us in locating this information for you as quickly as possible. If you are requesting a copy of a police report, please list name(s) of parties involved in incident.

Crime scene police file, pictures, 3 documents from the murder

**From:** <pamelatroeppl@comcast.net>  
**To:** "Florene Johnson" <JOHNSOF@co.thurston.wa.us>  
**Date:** 8/10/2006 1:03:17 PM  
**Subject:** Re: Public Records Request/Murder Investigation/Case No. 73-17952-12

Thank you so much. I'll see you on Friday

Regards,

Pamela Troeppl

----- Original message -----

From: "Florene Johnson" <JOHNSOF@co.thurston.wa.us>

> That would be fine. I will reserve the room for all day. When you come into the  
> front desk area of the Sheriff's Office just tell the staff that you have an  
> appt with me.  
>  
> Florene  
>  
> Florene Johnson  
> Records Manager  
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> > >>> 08/10/06 9:41 AM >>>

> > Dear Ms. Johnson,

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> > Would it be possible to view them next Monday at 10 a.m. ?

> >

> > Thank you,

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> > Pamela Troeppl

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> > ----- Original message -----

> > From: "Florene Johnson"

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> > > Dear Ms. Troeppl,

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> > > I received the three homicide boxes pertaining to the above case yesterday.

> > > Please contact me to make an appointment to view the files. Regarding your

> > > request for the trial records, please contact the Thurston County Superior

> > Court

> > > Clerk or Prosecuting Attorney for access to their file.

**From:** Florene Johnson  
**To:** pamelatroeppl@comcast.net  
**Date:** 8/10/2006 9:28:56 AM  
**Subject:** Public Records Request/Murder Investigation/Case No. 73-17952-12

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I received the three homicide boxes pertaining to the above case yesterday. Please contact me to make an appointment to view the files. Regarding your request for the trial records, please contact the Thurston County Superior Court Clerk or Prosecuting Attorney for access to their file.

Sincerely,

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Boxes 53-55

STATE OF WASHINGTON  
WASHINGTON STATE PATR

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CRIME LABORATORY REPORT

AGENCY: Thurston County Sheriff's Office

LABORATORY NO.: 386-000808

OFFICER: Detectives Haller & Gray

AGENCY NO.: 73-17592-12

VICTIM: 101C

REQUEST NO.: 0005 & 0006

SUSPECT: Cosden, William E. Jr.

Items Examined:

- 5 Three short lengths of natural fiber rope (each 2-2½ inches) contained in packaging marked "...From under body near neck..."
- 31 Short length of rope (6½ inches) contained in packaging marked "Near left hand area..."
- 13 One brown suede leather-type jacket with fur lined cuffs and collar.

*Other items submitted were not examined at this time.*

Examination Procedures and Results: