

MOTION BY SUPERVISOR MICHAEL D. ANTONOVICH

MARCH 27, 2007

REWARD EXTENSION

On February 20, 2007, the Board of Supervisors approved a reward offer of \$10,000 for information leading to the arrest and conviction of the suspect(s) responsible for the heinous beating of 26-year-old Leon Huddleston on Wednesday, February 14 between 9:00 and 9:30 p.m., at "Young's Tavern" in Lancaster. Mr. Huddleston suffered multiple skull fractures, a broken jaw and ribs. On February 23 Mr. Huddleston succumbed to his injuries and died.

Consequently, the Sheriff's Homicide Bureau has assumed the investigation and has requested an increase in the reward amount to assist in obtaining information that may aid in their investigation on this heinous crime.

I, THEREFORE, MOVE THAT the Board of Supervisors approve to extend and increase the \$10,000 reward offer to \$25,000 for information leading to the arrest and conviction of the suspect(s) responsible for the brutal beating of 26-year-old Leon Huddleston on February 14 at "Young's Tavern" in Lancaster and subsequent death on February 23.

Contact Persons:

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