



# WASHINGTON COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE

Conserving the Peace Through Values Driven Service  
Sheriff Pat Garrett

## PRESS RELEASE

### Teenager Arrested and Charged with Murder

May 17, 2016—Detectives have arrested a teenager in relation to a homicide in a Cedar Hills residence.

On May 16, 2016, at 7:22 p.m., Sheriff's Deputies were called to a residence in the 13400 block of SW Driftwood Place in the community of Cedar Hills, concerning a possible stabbing.

Sheriff's Deputies arrived and learned the victim, Charreen Stanford, 18, had been taken to an area hospital by a family member. Sheriff's Deputies discovered the suspect, Tannekqwa Thompson, 18, had fled the house on foot prior to the deputies' arrival. Both women lived at the house where the incident occurred.

Sheriff's Deputies contained the area while two Sheriff's K9 Deputies and a Beaverton K9 Officer searched for Ms. Thompson. Law enforcement was able to keep the area locked down for more than an hour, until Ms. Thompson was found hiding in a yard nearby and taken into custody just after 8:30 p.m.

Ms. Stanford was later pronounced deceased at the hospital.

The Washington County Major Crimes Team and the Washington County Forensic Science Unit responded to the house to investigate and process the crime scene.

Ms. Thompson was lodged in the Washington County Jail charged with Murder, and held without the possibility of bail.

There is no additional information available for release at this early stage of the investigation.

