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**MEDIA RELEASE**

**Release #1:**

On Wednesday, July 14, 2010, at about 6:38 a.m., a Garden City Police Department detective, who was on his way to the Law Enforcement Center, observed a vehicle parked awkwardly in the east alley of 2900 Cliff Place and then watched the vehicle drive over a curb on Long Blvd. The detective obtained the license plate information from the vehicle and returned to the area where he had first observed the vehicle, where he found a vehicle, belonging to Barbara Jensen, with a broken side window. There was blood on the vehicle as well.

With the assistance of a Finney County Sheriff's deputy, the detective went to the address obtained from the suspicious vehicle plate and identified the driver he had observed earlier. The driver, Brandon Reece, aged 25, had a wound consistent with the evidence found at the scene of the auto burglary on Long Blvd. He was taken into custody and transported to the Law Enforcement Center.

Further investigation revealed that Reece was responsible for other auto burglaries and property from those burglaries was recovered. Other property was recovered at the residence of Reece, but victims have not been identified.

Other victims were Randy Irsik, Ryan Rogers, PV Hoidale Inc., Mike Palacios, Sr. and William Heller. Total loss was valued at \$2,560. Some property is still missing from those victims.

Reece was lodged in the Finney County Jail for six counts of auto burglary, one count of felony theft, five counts of misdemeanor theft and two counts of criminal damage.

**Release #2:**

The Garden City Police Department concluded a 14-month investigation into a series of aggravated robberies which occurred between May and September of 2009. All but one of the robberies occurred in the driveways of the victims' residences. The victims, Peggy Zimmerman, Shawna Linenberger, Reyes Hinojos, Jr, Ramiro Maldonado and Cuauhtemoc Hernandez were all robbed at gun-point as they returned to their residences in Garden City in the early morning hours. Maldonado was struck in the head. The other victims were not harmed. Gregory Burris, of Tucson, Arizona was robbed at gun-point in the parking lot of America's Best Value Inn, where he was a guest.

Henry Lewis Scott, age 23, of Garden City, was served with an arrest warrant for seven counts of Aggravated Robbery. He was in federal custody at the time of the warrant service.