

## **MESSAGE FROM PROSECUTOR SHERRI BEVAN WALSH**

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### **Dannis Lindsey Pleads Guilty in Richfield Motel Murder**

(March 2, 2009, Akron) ... Summit County Prosecutor Sherri Bevan Walsh announced today that **DANNIS L. LINDSEY**, 46, of Brecksville Road in Richfield, plead guilty to one count of **Aggravated Murder**, a special felony, one count of **Aggravated Robbery**, a felony of the first degree; three counts of **Tampering with Evidence**, a felonies of the third degree, for destroying or concealing his clothing, shoes, and the knife he used in the stabbing death of the Victim. The Aggravated Murder and Aggravated Robbery charges carry a Repeat Violent Offender specification which Lindsey pled guilty to.

The State and Lindsey entered a plea and sentencing agreement in which Lindsey received a life sentence on the Aggravated Murder, consecutive to the maximum sentences of ten years on the Aggravated Robbery, ten years for the Repeat Violent Offender Specification, and five years on the Tampering with Evidence. Lindsey will first be eligible for parole in 55 years when he is 101 years old.

On August 22, Lindsey robbed Bonnie Nevener, 56, at Holiday Inn in Richfield and then stabbed her to death. Nevener was a clerk at the motel and Lindsey was employed there as a maintenance worker.