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### **MEDIA RELEASE**

INCIDENT TYPE:	DATE/TIME REPORTED:	
Murder	05/22/2016	
INCIDENT NUMBER:	LOCATION:	
16BU014283	Pine St.	
INVESTIGATOR:	INVESTIGATOR CONTACT:	
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VICTIM:	AGE:	VICTIM ADDRESS:
Amos Beede	38	Milton, Vermont
SUSPECT:	AGE:	SUSPECT ADDRESS:
Amber Dennis	29	Transient, Burlington
SUSPECT DISPOSITION:		
Lodged for lack of \$100,000 bail		

### **NARRATIVE:**

On June 20<sup>th</sup>, 2016 Burlington Police Detectives arrested Amber Dennis, 29 years of age, for her role in the assault which led to the death of Amos Beede. Dennis is part of the transient community in Burlington and was living in the encampment at the time of the crime. Dennis was lodged for lack of \$100,000 bail and will be arraigned on one count of second degree murder in Vermont Superior Court – Chittenden Criminal Division on June 21<sup>st</sup>, 2016.

*Respect ~ Honor ~ Remember*

*Officer James P. McGrath, end of watch May 12, 1904; Officer J. Albert Fisher, end of watch December 15, 1947;  
Officer Robert W. Provost, end of watch January 13, 1954*