



## Press Release

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**Subject :** Homicide in Redondo Beach – UPDATE 9:15 PM

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On February 22, 2012 at approximately 9:08 AM, Redondo Beach Police Department received a call to the dispatch center to check on the welfare of a female adult in an apartment in 1200 block of Agate Street in Redondo Beach. The reporting party was making the call from the state of New York.

Redondo Beach Police Officers checked the apartment and discovered a deceased female adult in the apartment. The apparent cause of death, based on evidence located at the scene was multiple gun shot wounds to the victim. Redondo Beach Police Detectives are investigating this incident as a Homicide. The victim is identified as Margaret Ann Goldberg, 45 years of age.

The Redondo Beach Police Department actively sought the victim's ex-husband, Russell Scott Goldberg, 49 years of age as the suspect in this case. Russell Scott Goldberg was driving a 2007 Green Saturn Vue, California License plate 6NAP316. Detectives were able to locate the vehicle being driven in Beaver County, Utah on Interstate 15. Utah Highway Patrol, Cedar City Section 11 located the vehicle and a pursuit was initiated on the vehicle. At about 6:45 PM (Mountain Time) the vehicle pursuit ended, and a barricaded situation developed. At about 9:40 PM (Mountain Time) a Utah Highway Patrol tactical team approached the vehicle and discovered the suspect, Russell Scott Goldberg deceased from an apparent self inflicted gun shot wound. No further details are available from Utah Highway Patrol at this time.

The suspect and the victim have two children together. Both children are safe and are currently being cared for.