



Fresno County Sheriff's Office
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**MEDIA ADVISORY: Carole Sund/Carrington Foundation
Adds To Reward For Murder Suspect**

Fresno County Sheriff Margaret Mims is pleased to announce that the Carole Sund/Carrington Foundation has offered a \$5,000 reward for information leading to the arrest and conviction of murder suspect Kenneth Wilson. This raises the total reward to \$11,000.00.

Wilson is wanted in the February 19th shooting death of Julian “Julio” Barajas in a remote mountainous area northeast of Auberry, and has been on the run ever since.

A reward of \$6,000.00 has already been offered for Wilson's arrest with money coming from the U.S. Marshall's Office and CrimeStoppers. The additional \$5,000.00 will be for the arrest and conviction of Wilson.

The Sheriff's Office and the Carole Sund/Carrington Foundation believe the money can make a difference as the foundation's reward monies have already assisted in the location of 9 missing children, the apprehension of 37 murder suspects, 3 kidnappers of young children, and one suspect charged with the attempted murder of a peace officer.

To date, the foundation has paid a total of \$262,600.00 in rewards to citizens who did the right thing by coming forward and sharing information regarding these cases.

Anyone with information regarding this case is asked to contact Detective Hector Palma at 488-3729, the Fresno County Sheriff's Office at 488-3111, or CrimeStoppers at 498-STOP(7867).