



Barnes County Sheriff's Office

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On 4-22-19, a body was recovered on 12th St S E in Barnes County, southeast of Luverne, ND. The body had no identification about the person.
The body was sent to UND Medical School for an autopsy.

On 5-6-19, the body was identified by fingerprints and family was notified.
The body was identified as 57-year-old David Palmer.
Palmer died of hypothermia.
There was no foul play involved in this case.
This case was investigated by the North Dakota Bureau of Criminal Investigation and the Barnes County Sheriff's Office.

Randy McClafflin, Sheriff