

## Napoleon Police Department Chief David Mack

310 Glenwood Ave O.P.O. Box 151 Napoleon, Ohio 43545-0151

Phone: (419) 599-2810 O Fax: (419) 599-7969

Web Page: www.napoleonohio.com

Mayor Jason Maassel

City Manager Joel L. Mazur

Police Chief David J. Mack

Executive Officer & PIO Edward Legg

Lieutenants Chad Moll Greg Smith

Sergeant Justin Ruffer

## Press Release

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE Date: 03/18/2022

On March 13, 2022 the Napoleon Police Department responded to the Henry County Hospital Emergency Room for a report of possible Child Abuse. Stephany Pichardo a 29 year old female who was temporarily residing at 1026 Stevenson St. Napoleon Ohio, had died from her injuries.

Ms. Pichardo had allegedly been Assaulted by Audili Cerrato, 53 year old female also of 1026 Stevenson St., Napoleon Ohio. An investigation into the death was initiated by Napoleon Police Department Detectives and the Ohio Bureau of Criminal Investigation and Identification. Cerrato was arrested for Felonious Assault and transported to the Corrections Center of Northwest Ohio.

Today, 03/18/2022, the Napoleon Police Department in conjunction with the Henry County Prosecutors Office have charged Audili Cerrato with Murder in the death of Stephany Pichardo. Cerrato was charged under 2903.02 Section B of the Ohio Revised Code and served at CCNO where she remains in custody.

The Napoleon Police Department share our communities concern in the death of Ms. Pichardo and will continue to investigate this case.

Lt. Edward Legg
Public Information Officer
Napoleon Police Department