

(Neb.)-Nebraskan Pleads Not Guilty To Murder Charge

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SIDNEY, Neb. (AP) - A 53-year-old Sidney man has pleaded not guilty to a murder charge.

On Tuesday Larry Martinez pleaded not guilty to first-degree murder and a weapons charge.

Police say Martinez shot 30-year-old Mandy Kershman, of Sidney, in June because was angry about a text message from her.

Last week Cheyenne County Attorney Paul Schaub (shahb) said he wouldn't seek the death penalty if Martinez were convicted.