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Kansas Cold Case Playing Cards

The Kansas Department of Corrections (KDOC) and the Kansas Bureau of Investigation (KBI), in partnership with the Kansas Association of Chiefs of Police (KACP), the Kansas Sheriff's Association (KSA) and the Kansas Peace Officers Association (KPOA) are reaching out to you today to ask for your help with an innovative initiative - the creation of a deck of Kansas Cold Case Playing Cards.

Other states have solved multiple cold case homicides, missing person cases or suspicious deaths through the use of specially created playing cards. Distributed to residents of state correctional facilities and county jails, these cards highlight case information in hope that persons familiar with a case will come forward with a fruitful tip. As an example, Connecticut has produced multiple decks and has solved 20 cases with their program. For more information about Connecticut's program, visit their website by clicking here.

We respectfully request your agency to submit suitable cold cases that could possibly be featured on a playing card. Submission guidelines are attached to this email. If you have any other questions about case submission or this project, please email KDOC_Cold_Case_Cards@ks.gov for assistance. Your help and participation in this project is greatly appreciated.

In partnership,

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