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NEWS RELEASE

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From: Alex Gardner, District Attorney

Details: On May 21, 2013, Mercedes Leeann Crabtree pled guilty to the

August 3, 2012 Kidnapping, Robbery and Murder of Celestino Reynoso Gutierrez Jr. She also pled to Robbery in the First Degree (4 Counts) arising from an August 3, 2012 Bank Robbery in Mapleton. She also pled guilty to Robbery in the First Degree (4 Counts) arising from a June 8, 2012 Bank Robbery in Creswell.

The pleas were before Marion County Circuit Court Judge

Thomas Hart.

Sentencing is set for May 30, 2013 at 10:00 AM before Judge

Thomas Hart.