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Press Release

Sundquist Convicted in Motor Vehicle Homicide

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A Norfolk Superior Court Jury today (Wednesday, June 22, 2016) convicted a 33 year old West Bridgewater woman in the 2013 crash that killed Christopher Wengler in Stoughton, according to Norfolk District Attorney Michael W. Morrissey said.

Pamela Sundquist was convicted of motor vehicle homicide, negligent operation of a motor vehicle, and assault and battery with a deadly weapon, according to DA Morrissey. All three convictions result from the 2013 car accident that killed 32 year-old Christopher Wengler.

At 1:32 am on December 31, 2013, Sundquist caused a head-on collision with Wengler on Route 138 in Stoughton. Sundquist was in a 2011 Ford Edge while Wengler was driving a 1994 Honda Accord. Stoughton Police and EMTs responded to the scene and rushed Wengler to Good Samaritan Medical Center in Brockton. He did not survive his injuries.

Sundquist was driving 35 mph over the speed limit on 138 at the time of the crash, according to police collision reconstruction testimony. Sundquist was charged by Stoughton Police on January 2, two days after the incident took place.

"We are pleased that the jury gave careful consideration to the evidence here and has held Sundquist responsible for her conduct," District Attorney Morrissey said. "She will be sentenced on Wednesday, June 29, at 11:30 at Norfolk Superior Court in Dedham. Assistant District Attorney Adam Lally and Victim/Witness Advocate Lynne Cipullo did a nice job with this case, as our police partners did with the investigation."