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**Kansas man convicted of kicking girlfriend to death**

WICHITA, Kan. — A Kansas man who kicked his girlfriend to death was sentenced to life in prison with the possibility of parole after a jury found him guilty of first-degree murder.

The man, 34, was charged with the murder of his 26-year-old girlfriend, who was found dead in a wooded area near their home in December 2011. The man had a long history of domestic violence against his girlfriend.

The judge sentenced the man to life in prison with the possibility of parole after 25 years. The man's attorney said he will appeal the sentence.

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## MDA to round up 'jailbirds'

WICHITA, Kan. — The Missouri Department of Corrections is planning to round up inmates from across the state to help with a major project in the state capital.

The project involves the renovation of the Missouri State Capitol building, which is set to begin in late 2013. The MDA is looking for inmates who are skilled in construction and other trades.

The inmates will be housed in a temporary facility in the state capital while they work on the project. The MDA is offering the inmates a chance to earn money and gain work experience.

## Report: Long Wichita standoff ends, suspect dead

WICHITA, Kan. — A long standoff in Wichita between police and a suspect ended Friday night with the suspect's death.

The suspect, 34, was shot and killed by police officers during the standoff. The suspect had been armed with a handgun and a rifle. The police officers were not injured.

The standoff began on Thursday night when the suspect refused to leave his home. The police officers surrounded the home and tried to negotiate with the suspect. The standoff lasted for several hours.

## Bridge project treatment on U.S. 56 in Hall County

WICHITA, Kan. — The Kansas Department of Transportation is planning to treat the bridge on U.S. 56 in Hall County.

The bridge is in poor condition and needs to be replaced. The KDOT is planning to use a special treatment to extend the life of the bridge.

The treatment involves the application of a special coating to the bridge deck. The coating will protect the bridge from water damage and other environmental factors.

The project is expected to be completed in late 2013. The KDOT is offering the project to interested contractors.

## Make your way to 'Chicago'

WICHITA, Kan. — The musical "Chicago" is coming to the Wichita Civic Auditorium.

The musical is a story of a woman who is accused of murdering her husband. The woman is a showgirl who is used to getting away with anything.

The musical is a hit and is expected to be a success in Wichita. The show is running for a limited time.

## Photographer charged after flying over festival

WICHITA, Kan. — A photographer was charged with a crime after flying a drone over a festival in Wichita.

The photographer was flying a drone over the festival grounds without a permit. The festival organizers complained to the police.

The police arrested the photographer and charged him with a crime. The photographer is being held in custody.

## K-State Extension to offer diabetes management classes

WICHITA, Kan. — Kansas State University Extension is offering diabetes management classes.

The classes are designed to help people with diabetes manage their condition. The classes cover topics such as diet, exercise, and medication.

The classes are being offered in several locations in Kansas. The classes are free of charge.

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Remember drive-in movies?

WICHITA, Kan. — The drive-in movie theater is back.

The drive-in movie theater is offering a variety of movies. The movies are shown in a drive-in setting.

The drive-in movie theater is a popular destination for families and friends. The drive-in movie theater is open on weekends.

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