

## For Immediate Release – May 19, 2021

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### Media Advisory: CIRT Press Briefing

The 8<sup>th</sup> Judicial District Critical Incident Response Team (CIRT) has concluded its investigation into the Loveland Police Department's 2020 arrest of Karen Garner. District Attorney Gordon McLaughlin has reviewed the facts of the case and will host a press briefing to share outcomes.

The press briefing will be held at 1:00 p.m. on Wednesday, May 19, 2021, in the Carter Lake Room at the Larimer County Courthouse Building, located at 200 West Oak Street, Fort Collins, CO, (directly across the street from the Justice Center Building). The briefing will also be available to watch via Zoom, and a recording will be posted at <https://www.larimer.org/da/critical-incident-response-team>.

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The filing of a criminal charge is merely a formal accusation that an individual(s) committed a crime(s) under Colorado laws. A defendant is presumed innocent until and unless proven guilty. *See* Colo. RPC 3.6