

Another suspected homicide: Arrest made in connection with an adult female body found
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Law enforcement authorities are investigating a second homicide in Huron within a week.

Under arrest on a charge of first-degree murder is Shannon Flowers, 42, of Huron. He was arrested Saturday morning.

The name of the victim, an adult female, is not being released pending notification of family members.

An autopsy will be performed this week.

Flowers is being held at the Regional Correction Center without bond.

Beadle County State's Attorney Mike Moore said the investigation is in its early stages and that no details, including the suspected cause of death, will be immediately released.

He said the victim's body was discovered at the city compost pile east of town on Saturday morning, although the homicide is believed to have occurred Thursday.

First-degree murder carries a maximum penalty of mandatory life in prison or the death penalty.

Investigating the case are the Huron Police Department, Beadle County Sheriff's Office and the state Division of Criminal Investigation.

Flowers is expected to make his initial court appearance on Monday.

Last weekend, Christopher Aguayo, 23, was arrested for second-degree murder in the shooting death of Richard Bosque-gonzalez, 23, at a southwest Huron residence. Aguayo is also being held without bond and is scheduled to have a preliminary hearing on March 11.