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Detectives File Murder Charges In 8 Year Old Case

On June 15, 2003, a vehicle was found in the 15100 Block of FM 969 abandoned with blood inside the vehicle. The vehicle, a 1989 Dodge Ramcharger, was registered to the victim, Armando Ramirez, Date of Birth 2-26-1948, of Austin. Due to the amount of blood in the vehicle, Armando was believed to be severely injured or deceased. Searches were conducted, however, Armando was never found.

On August 29, 2003, Austin Crime Stoppers received a tip that Domingo Jaimes, Date of Birth 11-3-1964, killed Armando and dumped his body in the river. When Detectives went to the Jaimes residence they were told that he had fled the area and went to Mexico.

On July 11, 2011, Detectives received a tip that Domingo was back in town.

On July 13, 2011, Deputies with the Sheriff’s Office found Domingo at his residence and arrested him for a DWI warrant. Despite his denials that he was not Domingo Jaimes he was taken to the Sheriff’s Office and fingerprinted. During his interviews he confessed to killing Armando during a dispute over a minor collision and dumping his body in the Colorado River. He was then taken to the Travis County Jail to start his sentence for the DWI.

On July 25, 2011, Detectives obtained a warrant charging Domingo with the Murder of Armando. Bond was set at $100,000.00.

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