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GCSO LAW ENFORCEMENT SUMMARY

SEPTEMBER 21, 2015 - SEPTEMBER 27, 2015

On Monday, September 21st, the Gulf County Sheriff's Office (GCSO) traveled to Blackwater Correctional Institution in Milton, FL, to execute an Order to Transport. Joseph T. Adkison (23) was transported to Gulf County for a scheduled court appearance on September 22nd. The GCSO also executed an Order to Transport at the North Florida Reception Center in Chipley, FL, on the same day. Anthony S. Crocker (32) was transported to Gulf County for a scheduled court appearance on September 24th. Adkison was returned to Milton by a courtesy transport by the Escambia County Sheriff's Office. Crocker was returned on Thursday, September 24th.

On Tuesday, September 22nd, the GCSO executed an Order of Transport on Kevin D. Fortier (33). Fortier was transported from the Bay County Jail to Gulf County to appear in court the same day. He was returned to the Bay County Jail after his appearance in court.

On September 22nd, Lt. Wood arrested Tina M. Chumney (48) at the Gulf County Detention Facility. Chumney was wanted for Violation of Probation on her original charges of Forgery and Uttering a Forged Instrument. Chumney was booked in at the GCDF.

On Wednesday, September 23rd, Deputy G. Desrosier responded to the 100 block of Annie Avenue in Stone Mill Creek in reference to a residential burglary. The complainant reported after returning home from work she discovered that her home had been entered. The only item stolen from the home was a Sony PlayStation. Deputy Desrosier continues to investigate the case.

On September 23rd, Deputy G. Desrosier arrested Michael D. Ward (47) for Violation of Probation. Ward was arrested in the 200 block of Johnson Lane in Wewahitchka. Ward is on probation for Possession of a Firearm by a Convicted Felon, Resisting a Law Enforcement Officer without Violence and Trespass. He was transported to the GCDF.

On Thursday, September 24th, the GCSO received a 911 call regarding a physical disturbance in the 200 block of South Kim Avenue in Howard Creek. Lt. T. Wood responded to the call and at the conclusion of his investigation arrested Tina M. Messick (50) for Domestic Battery. Messick was transported to the GCDF.

On September 24th, Sgt. J. Williams arrested and served a warrant for Violation of Probation on Robert D. Alderman (27). Alderman was already in the custody of the GCDF. He is currently on probation for Burglary and Possession of a Controlled Substance.

On September 24th, Sgt. J. Williams arrested and served a warrant for Violation of Probation on Timothy M. Brandon (45). Brandon was already in the custody of the GCDF. He is currently on probation for Driving Under the Influence.

On Friday, September 25th, Deputy P. Williams arrested Mark W. Moore (58) for Violation of Probation in the 400 block of Old Transfer Road in Wewahitchka. Moore is on probation for Possession of a Controlled Substance and the Unlawful Use of a Two-Way Communications Device. He was transported to the GCDF.

On Saturday, September 26th, Deputy D. Sanders responded to the 300 block of East River Road in Wewahitchka in reference to a domestic disturbance. At the conclusion of the investigation, Deputy Sanders arrested Boyd J. Sanchez, Jr. (39) for Domestic Battery. Sanchez was transported to the GCDF.

On Sunday, September 27th, Deputy M. Peek was in route to a call when he witnessed a vehicle exceeding the speed limit in the area of U.S. Highway 98 near Beacon Hill. Deputy Peek stopped the vehicle in the area of U.S. Highway 98 and Fryer Lane. It was determined a domestic dispute was actively occurring the in the vehicle. Robert L. Phillips (30) was arrested for Domestic Battery and Resisting with Violence. At the time of his arrest Phillips became combative with Sgt. R. Burkett and Deputy Peek. He was transported to the GCDF.

If you have any information regarding the aforementioned cases, or any information on drug/suspicious activity please contact the Gulf County Sheriff's Office at 850-227-1115 or 850-639-5717. If you wish to remain anonymous call Crime Stoppers at 850-785-TIPS.

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