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GCSO LAW ENFORCEMENT SUMMARY

NOVEMBER 16, 2015 – NOVEMBER 22, 2015

On Monday, November 16th, Investigator S. Ferrell conducted a traffic stop on a vehicle in the area of State Road (SR) 22 and County Road (CR) 22A in Wewahitchka for a traffic violation. During the stop it was determined the tag placed on the vehicle was actually registered to another vehicle and was altered by the driver, Dominique A. Johnson (22). Johnson was placed under arrest for Attaching Tag Not Assigned. He was transported to the Gulf County Detention Facility (GCDF).

On Tuesday, November 17th, Deputy C. Harvey arrested Tammy M. Walden (54) for Possession of Less Than Twenty Grams of Marijuana. Deputy Harvey responded to Gulf Correctional Institution in Stone Mill Creek to assist with an investigation which resulted in the arrest. Walden was transported to the GCDF.

On November 17th, Elise S. Bogle (32) was taken into custody at the Gulf County Courthouse. Bogle was wanted by the Bay County Sheriff's Office on a warrant for Burglary of a Structure. Bogle was escorted and booked into the GCDF.

On Wednesday, November 18th, Deputy B. Smith arrested Allan H. Nelson (54) for Operating a Vehicle without a License. The traffic stop was conducted after a 911 call was received from the 300 block of Griffin Road in Stone Mill Creek stating that Nelson was spinning his tires in the complainant's yard and "cutting donuts." Nelson's vehicle was located and stopped on SR 71 north of the Stone Mill Creek Road. After arresting Nelson, Deputy Smith attempted to contact the complainant, Sean S. Chehardy, Sr. (50), who was found driving a tractor on the roadway near his home. Chehardy's driver's license was determined to be suspended. Chehardy was charged with Driving While License Suspended/Revoked (DWLS/R). Both subjects were transported to the GCDF.

On Thursday, November 19th, the GCSO extradited Martinez T. Thomas (56) from the Leon County Jail in Tallahassee. Thomas was originally arrested by the Clearwater Police Department in Pinellas County. A hold was placed on Thomas on a warrant for Violation of Probation on his original charge of Failure to Register as a Convicted Felon. The Pinellas County Sheriff's Office assisted in the extradition. Thomas was transported to the GCDF.

On November 19th, Deputy B. Smith responded to the 100 block of Hazelwood Street in Lands Landing in reference to a subject refusing to leave a residence. The call resulted in the arrest of Christina L. Simpson (37) on a child support warrant out of Bay County. Simpson was transported to the GCDF.

On Friday, November 20th, Christine Malinowski (51) turned herself in on a warrant for Violation of Probation. She was on probation for Driving Under the Influence. Malinowski was turned over to the GCDF staff.

On November 20th, Sgt. J. Williams responded to the 8800 block of Lighthouse Avenue in Beacon Hill after the GCSO received a complaint regarding the theft of a kayak. The complainant reported the theft of a Sundolphin Bali 10 SS Kayak from her yard. The color of the kayak was blue. The estimated value was \$250.

On November 20th, Deputy M. Ward served Charles E. Kinney (40) a warrant for his arrest at the GCDF for Violation of Probation. Kinney is on probation for Violation of a Domestic Violence Injunction. He was already in the custody of the GCDF.

On November 20th, Sgt. J. Williams conducted a traffic stop on a vehicle in the area of Dolphin Street and Cobia Avenue in Highland View. The vehicle was operated by Bobby J. Griffin (24) who had an active warrant for his arrest. Griffin was taken into custody for Failure to Appear on his original charge of Trespass. He was transported to the GCDF.

On Sunday, November 22nd, Sgt. R. Burkett responded to the 300 block of Madison Street in Oak Grove in reference to the theft of a vehicle. The complainant reported that on November 21st an employee had left in a company owned vehicle to conduct company business in the Franklin County area. The owner of the vehicle learned that the employee failed to show up at scheduled jobs to fulfill his obligations, contrary to what the employee stated. The vehicle was reported stolen and a BOLO was issued to surrounding law enforcement agencies. A short time later the Bay County Sheriff's Office located the vehicle abandoned in their county. The vehicle was returned to the owner. A warrant for Grand Theft was sought and issued for Matthew T. Guthrie (18). If you know of his whereabouts please contact the GCSO.

On November 22nd, Sgt. R. Burkett responded to the 100 block of Club Drive on Cape San Blas in reference to a stolen bicycle. The complainant reported the theft of a brown Trek bicycle valued at \$250. The item was left unsecured.

If you have any information regarding the aforementioned cases 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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