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## **GCSO LAW ENFORCEMENT SUMMARY**

MARCH 14, 2016 – MARCH 20, 2016

On Monday, March 14, Lt. T. Wood arrested Lesley J. Brasher at the Gulf County Courthouse. Brasher was wanted for Burglary of a Structure while Armed. The arrest closes a burglary case, which was reported in the Stone Mill Creek area on January 20, 2015. Brasher was turned over to the staff at the Gulf County Detention Facility (GCDF).

On March 14, the Gulf County Sheriff's Office (GCSO) received a complaint regarding employee theft at the IGA in Wewahitchka. Sgt. J. Murnan responded to investigate the complaint. The investigation resulted in the arrest of Rebecca A. Linton (32). Linton was charged with Retail Theft and transported to the GCDF.

On March 14, William P. Massey (38) was arrested at the Gulf County Courthouse. Massey was wanted for Tampering with a Witness, False Imprisonment, and Solicitation to Commit Perjury. The case was investigated by Investigator L. Dickey. Massey was turned over to the staff at the GCDF.

On March 14, the GCSO received a complaint of a theft in the 100 block of Canopy Road in Honeyville. Deputy C. Smith responded to investigate. The complainant reported the theft of a Ryobi 18V cordless drill, a Makita 18V cordless drill, a gas weed eater, and a pair of hedge trimmers. The value of the items taken was approximately \$185.

On Tuesday, March 15, the GCSO received a complaint of a domestic disturbance in the 100 block of Woodmere Drive in Honeyville. Deputy C. Smith responded to the complaint. At the conclusion of the investigation, Norman L. Griggs, Jr. (44) was arrested for Battery (Domestic). Griggs was transported to the GCDF.

On Wednesday, March 16, Deputy P. Baxley conducted a traffic stop in the area of U.S. Highway 98 and the Depo Creek Bridge. The stop resulted in the arrest of William Santiago, Jr. (40). Santiago was wanted by the GCSO for Violation of an Injunction for Protection. The case originated on February 27. Santiago was transported to the GCDF. He was charged with a second count of Violation of an Injunction for Protection after another complaint was received and investigated later the same day.

On March 16, the GCSO extradited Reginald R. Donaldson (20) from the Leon County Jail to Gulf County. Donaldson was wanted for Cruelty to Animals in Gulf County and was arrested by the Tallahassee Police Department. The case originated on April 30, 2015, after the GCSO received a complaint in the 200 block of Sailfish Street in Highland View. The complainant reported an animal was left unattended inside a residence and had expired.

On Thursday, March 17, Sgt. C. Dixon responded to the Creek Stop Deli north of Wewahitchka in reference to the theft of a cellular phone. The complainant reported the theft of a black and silver LG smartphone. The phone was valued at approximately \$20. Sgt. Dixon continues to investigate the case.

On Thursday, March 17, Investigator S. Ferrell and Investigator P. Williams arrested Joshua E. Adkison (34). Investigators conducted a traffic stop on a vehicle operated by Adkison in the area of Griffin Road in Stone Mill Creek. It was determined Adkison was driving the vehicle on a suspended driver's license and that the tag attached to the vehicle was not assigned to it. He was transported to the GCDF and charged with Driving While License Suspended/Revoked (DWLS/R) and Attaching a Tag Not Assigned.

On March 17, Dana M. Clark (39) was arrested by Investigator S. Ferrell and Investigator P. Williams after a traffic stop was conducted in the 100 block of State Road (SR) 71 North in Wewahitchka. Investigator Ferrell knew Clark had a suspended driver's license. The suspension was confirmed and Clark was arrested for DWLS/R. She was transported to the GCDF.

On March 17, Investigator S. Ferrell and Investigator P. Williams conducted a traffic stop near the intersection of SR 71 and SR 22 in Wewahitchka. The driver of the vehicle, Austin R. Hysmith (30), was operating the vehicle on a suspended driver's license. He was arrested for DWLS/R and transported to the GCDF. Hysmith was charged as a habitual traffic offender.

On Friday, March 17, the GCSO received information from the Bay County Sheriff's Office Warrants Division regarding a wanted subject. Albert J. Hayes (24) was wanted by the Bay County Sheriff's Office on six counts of Lewd and Lascivious Battery. Deputy D. Sanders located and arrested Hayes in the 2700 block of County Road 381 in Dalkeith. He was transported to the GCDF.

On Saturday, March 19, Deputy S. Cook conducted a traffic stop in the area of Avenue F and Martin Luther King Jr Blvd in Port St. Joe. The vehicle was operated on the roadway at 12:41 AM without its headlights, or taillights illuminated. The driver, Christopher Brady, III (22), operated the vehicle without a driver's license. Deputy Cook arrested Brady for No Valid Driver's License and transported him to the GCDF.

On Sunday, March 20, Deputy S. Cook conducted a traffic stop in the area of U.S. Highway 98 east of St. Joe Beach. When contact was made with the driver, Deputy Cook could smell the odor of burnt marijuana coming from within the vehicle. The stop concluded with the arrest of Michael D. Fordham (29) for Possession of Less Than Twenty Grams of Marijuana and Possession of Drug Paraphernalia. He was transported to the GCDF.

On March 20, Investigator P. Williams arrested Christopher R. Flannery (21) at the GCDF. Flannery was wanted for Violation of Probation on his original charge of the Sale of Cocaine. Flannery was arrested in Cobb County, GA and held of the GCSO pending extradition.

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