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GCSO LAW ENFORCEMENT SUMMARY

SEPTEMBER 10, 2018 – SEPTEMBER 16, 2018

On Monday, September 10th, Deputy P. Young traveled to the Bay County Jail to pick up Eric L. Harris (34) and Rebecca V. Hanlon (45) on Violation of Probation warrants. Harris was on probation for Sale of Cocaine and Hanlon was on probation for Possession of Methamphetamine and Possession of Paraphernalia. Both subjects were transported to the Gulf County Detention Facility to be booked.

On Monday, September 10th, Investigator S. Ferrell and Deputy M. Peek went to a residence in the 1600 block of Hwy 22 to arrest Clyde Dillon McDaniel (20) on warrants for Violation of Community Control and Failure to Appear. McDaniel was arrested inside the residence while attempting to escape through the bathroom window. McDaniel was on community control for the following charges: Trafficking in Stolen Property, Burglary of an Occupied Structure, Grand Theft and Felon in Possession of Gun or Concealed Weapon.

On Monday, September 10th, Deputy M. Peek and Investigator S. Ferrell conducted a traffic stop on a vehicle on Lake Grove Road in Wewahitchka for a traffic violation. Contact was made with the driver, Linda McLin Bice (60), and a passenger. During the course of the traffic stop Deputy Peek deployed K-9 Brix to conduct a free air sniff around the vehicle. Brix alerted, indicated the presence of an odor of illegal narcotics. A search of the vehicle revealed a personal amount of Marijuana, Methamphetamine and drug paraphernalia. These findings led to the arrest of Bice who was charged with Possession of Methamphetamine, Possession of Marijuana, Possession of Drug Paraphernalia and Violation of Probation.

On Tuesday, September 11th, Deputy M. Peek and Deputy C. Kesterson conducted a traffic stop near the intersection of C.R. 386 and Live Oak Drive. During the stop, K9 Brix was deployed to conduct a free air sniff around the vehicle. Brix alerted on the vehicle indicating the presence of an odor of illegal narcotics. A search of the vehicle revealed personal amounts of Methamphetamine and Marijuana, and drug paraphernalia. The driver, who was identified as Jimmie Dean Shores (48), was arrested and charged with Possession of Methamphetamine, Possession of Marijuana and Possession of Drug Paraphernalia. Ashley Nicole Chadwick (25), who was a passenger, was arrested and

charged with Possession of Methamphetamine and Possession of Drug Paraphernalia. Both subjects were transported to the Gulf County Detention Facility for booking.

On Tuesday, September 11th, Deputy S. Sheline traveled to Gulf Correctional Institution to pick up Loomes Wheeler (75) and transport him to the Gulf County Detention Facility on a transport order to attend judicial proceedings. Sgt. Sanders later transported Wheeler back to Gulf Correctional Institution when the proceedings concluded.

On Wednesday, September 12th, Deputy M. Peek and Investigator S. Ferrell conducted a traffic stop on Hwy 22 near Lester Drive. The vehicle was occupied by Joseph West Sketoe (42) and Brian David Traylor (41). Deputy Peek deployed K-9 Brix to conduct a free air sniff around the vehicle. Brix alerted to the presence of an odor of narcotics in the vehicle. A search of the vehicle was conducted and revealed approximately two ounces of Methamphetamine, less than twenty grams of Marijuana and multiple prescription medication classified as controlled substances. Sketoe was charged with Possession of Marijuana and Traylor was charged with Trafficking in Methamphetamine, Possession of Controlled Substance (four counts), Possession of Marijuana and Possession of Drug Paraphernalia.

On Thursday, September 13th, Deputy C. Harvey and Deputy T. Layfield responded to Sunset Drive in Wewahitchka in reference to a 911 call from a female who stated that she needed help. When they arrived on scene contact was made with the female and a male subject identified as Harold Kenneth Fox (81). During the course of the investigation it was determined that Fox had threatened to harm the female and threatened to shoot her. Fox was placed under arrest and charged with Domestic Assault.

On Friday, September 14th, the Gulf County Sheriff's Office received a report of a stolen vehicle, which resulted from a loaned-out vehicle that had not been returned. Deputy M. Manley located the vehicle in question at the Wewahitchka Library. Contact was made with the occupant, William Earl Barber (27). As Deputy Manley spoke with Barber, he discovered that Barber had a pipe in his front pocket which tested positive for Methamphetamine. A JC Higgins "Model 29" .22 caliber rifle was found in the vehicle, which he stated belonged to his grandfather. Barber was charged with Possession of Methamphetamine, Possession of Drug Paraphernalia and Possession of a Firearm by a Convicted Felon. Barber was transported to the Gulf County Detention Facility for booking.

In the early morning hours of Friday, September 14th, a suspect in an officer involved shooting in Mexico Beach fled to the Beacon Hill area in Gulf County. The suspect remained at large until approximately 11:50 am, when the Gulf County Sheriff's Office received a report of a suspicious person in the Beacon Hill area. Deputies with the Gulf County Sheriff's Office and Bay County Sheriff's Office responded to the area. As deputies patrolled the area, a man matching the description of the suspicious person was located, which led to the suspect fleeing on foot. Deputies established a perimeter, surrounding his immediate area. Deputy S. Sheline located the subject hiding in a wooded area behind a residence off of Olive Street. The subject was identified as Charles Lamar

Goodin (35), who was the wanted suspect in the Mexico Beach incident earlier in the morning. Goodin was charged with Resisting Law Enforcement without Violence and transported to the Gulf County Detention Facility.

On Friday, September 14th, Deputy P. Young was dispatched to Sunset Drive in Wewahitchka in reference to a suspicious person. Upon arrival, contact was made with a white male subject walking in the front yard of a residence. The man was identified as Harold Kenneth Fox (81). Fox was arrested on September 13th, 2018 for Domestic Assault and was released from custody. A condition of his release was to stay away from the property where he was currently located. Fox was placed under arrest and charged with violating conditions of his release. Fox is currently being held at the Gulf County Detention Facility without bond.

On Friday, September 14th, Deputy G. Desrosier conducted a traffic stop on a vehicle for a traffic violation. The driver of the vehicle was identified as Timothy L. Colonder (71). A wanted persons check on Colonder revealed that he had an active Gulf County warrant for Violation of Probation (Grand Theft). Colonder was also wanted on an out of county warrant as well. Colonder was taken into custody and transported to the Gulf County Detention Facility.

On Saturday, September 15th, Deputy G. Desrosier was dispatched to Rich's IGA in Wewahitchka in reference to a stolen grill. The victim described the grill as a 250-gallon single axle grill with a fire box on both ends and dual vent pipes. One pipe is larger than the other. He also stated that it was recently painted black. Anyone with information regarding this theft is encouraged to contact the Gulf County Sheriff's Office.

On Sunday, September 16th, Sgt. D. Sanders arrested Sidney Lee Robbins (25) on a warrant for Failure to Appear on the charges of Possession of Paraphernalia and Disorderly Conduct. She was transported to the Gulf County Detention Facility without incident.

If you have any information regarding the aforementioned cases, please contact the Gulf County Sheriff's Office at 850-227-1115, 850-639-5717, or remain anonymous by calling Crime Stoppers at 850-785-TIPS.

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