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FORMER PSJHS PARAPROFESSIONAL ARRESTED

On May 8, 2025, at approximately 6:00 PM, the Gulf County Sheriff's Office was notified of an incident that occurred at Port St. Joe Jr./Sr. High School involving a paraprofessional battering several middle school students. The following day, investigators with the Gulf County Sheriff's Office received a video of the incident. The paraprofessional resigned from their position with the Gulf District Schools the same day. Once this video was reviewed by investigators, interviews were scheduled with the Child Protection Team. During the interview, the student confirmed what was shown on the video. Yesterday, May 15th, Eric Keion McNair, (46) of Port St. Joe - was charged with one count of battery. This case is still under review, with additional charges pending.

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