

Police Report

CRIME STOPPERS

OF MARION COUNTY INC.



VIRGINIA B. MOSLEY
White Female
DOB: 9/13/1983 FELONY
BENCH WARRANT FTA
PRE-TRIAL CONFERENCE
COUNT 1 ABUSE ELDERLY OR
DISABLED ADULT WITHOUT
GREAT BODILY HARM COUNT
2 POSSESSION OF CANNABIS
LESS THAN 20 GRAMS



EMORY L. ODOM
White Male
DOB: 12/26/1967
FELONY BENCH WARRANT
FTA PRE-TRIAL CONFERENCE
CT 1 DEALING IN STOLEN
PROPERTY, FELONY ORDER
TO REVOKE BOND DEALING IN
STOLEN PROPERTY

All tips or information received is anonymous. Individuals may be eligible for a reward of up to \$1,000 for anonymous information.

Crime Stoppers of Marion County, Inc.
Telephone: (352) 368-STOP (7867)
Web Tips: ocalacrimestoppers.com
P3 Tips mobile app at Apple App store and Google play and use to submit anonymous tips

Pd by CSTF.

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THRIFT SHOP
10670 SE Maricamp Rd
Summer Hours of Operation
Monday to Friday 9:30 am to 1:30 pm
Closed Saturdays

BINGO
Smoke Free
EVERY MONDAY at 12:00 pm
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CR 464, Across from Lake Weir H.S.

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MCSO non emergency
352-732-9111
Crimestoppers 1-800-423-
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Crime Stoppers of Marion
County at 368- STOP or 368-
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Bellevue Police Department

Arrests:



July 13, Jaritza Santos,
Domestic Battery, 5000
Block SE 102nd PL.



July 13, Queen Clarke,
Domestic Battery, 5000
Block SE 102nd PL.



On Right -
July 16, Marcella Jordan,
DWLSR - 2nd Conviction,
Possession of Cocaine,
Possession of Drug Para-
phernalia, Possession of
Controlled Substance w/o
Prescription, 10800 Block
S Hwy 441



Incidents:

July 13, Vehicle Burglary, The victim reported that an unknown suspect entered his vehicle overnight and stole a camera valued at \$20, 5800 Block SE Drew Rd.

July 13, Criminal Mischief, The victim reported that an unknown suspect broke the rear window of her vehicle causing \$200 in damage, 6400 Block SE 108th St.

Marion County Sheriff's Office

Juvenile Arrested For Animal Torture Resulting In Death

On Tuesday, July 13, 2021, Marion County Sheriff's Office (MCSO) Deputy Gomez arrested 13-year-old James William Basener for Aggravated Animal Cruelty, which is a felony offense, and Petit Theft.

On Tuesday, July 13, around 7:00pm, Deputy Gomez was dispatched to assist Marion County Animal Control in reference to the death of a domesticated cat. Upon arrival, Animal Control Officers McClure and Swen advised they were investigating allegations that Basener had severely injured and ultimately killed a neighbor's cat. Deputy Gomez began a criminal investigation and made contact with Basener and his parents, who agreed to speak about the allegations.

Initially, Basener denied any incident involving a cat. However, he recanted his statement and stated approximately one week prior, he saw a cat in the neighborhood and brought it back to his home. Basener placed the cat in a trashcan and kept it trapped there for several days. A few days later, he used a pole to strike the cat inside the can and left it trapped. On July 13, Basener attempted to stab the animal and it bit him. At this point, he stuffed the cat in a garbage bag and started slamming it against the pavement. The cat was able to escape from the bag, but Basener recaptured it by the tail, slammed it on the pavement and blood began to flow from its mouth. After the cat was deceased, Basener then proceeded to throw the animal into the yard of a nearby home, where he believed dogs would further mangle the body.

After the interview, Deputy Gomez examined the deceased animal and its injuries were consistent with Basener's account of events. Basener was placed under arrest and transported to the Department of Juvenile Justice (DJJ). He was processed by DJJ and released to his parents.



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Undocumented Woman Files False Kidnapping Report in Hopes to Gain Citizenship

On Thursday, July 15, 2021, Marion County Sheriff's Office (MCSO) Major Crimes detectives arrested Alma Delia Duran (H/F, DOB: 03/28/1969) for Making a False Report of a Crime.

On March 2, 2021, MCSO deputies responded to the Baseline Golf Course on SE 58th Ave in reference to a report that Alma Duran, an employee at the golf course, was missing. Duran's co-workers called law enforcement after they located her lawn mower abandoned. While the investigation into her disappearance was ongoing, deputies received information about a nude woman located on the side of the roadway in the 8000 block of Highway 314. The nude woman, later determined to be Duran, claimed that she was kidnapped from work, rendered unconscious, and left on the side of the road.

MCSO's Major Crimes Bureau, Aviation Unit, K-9 Unit, and Field Force participated in the investigation, led by Detective Burleson, which continued for almost four months. Detectives employed investigative techniques and obtained multiple search warrants. Information obtained through search warrants revealed that Duran was on the phone with a man named Luis Guerrero during the time of her alleged abduction. Further investigation revealed that in the preceding month, she and Guerrero had spoken on the phone in excess of 100 times.

Based upon these discoveries, detectives reinterviewed Duran. Duran initially maintained that she had been kidnapped, but when confronted with the evidence regarding Guerrero, admitted that she had not been kidnapped. Duran stated that she and Guerrero had been having an ongoing affair for the past 5 years and that he had picked her up from work that morning.

MCSO detectives interviewed Guerrero, who confirmed he had been in a relationship with Duran. Guerrero stated that Duran had confided in him that she was going to attempt to obtain U.S. citizenship by claiming to be the victim of a violent crime such as a kidnapping (a process known as a "U visa"). Guerrero stated that on the morning of March 2, 2021, he picked up Duran at 8:30 am, they drove around having consensual sexual encounters. He said that while they were together, he told Duran he "couldn't do this" and she told him to leave her somewhere up the road and she would take care of the rest.

On Thursday, July 15, 2021, Duran was interviewed for a third time by MCSO detectives. At the conclusion of the interview, she was placed under arrest for Making a False Report of a Crime and transported to the Marion County Jail, where she was held on a \$1000 bond.

When this crime was initially reported, due to the circumstances, detectives investigated the possibility of a sexual assault. At this time, based upon the evidence gathered in the investigation and the inconsistent statements made by Duran, detectives do not believe there is any credible evidence to support any crime occurred.

"Nothing is more important to me as the Sheriff than ensuring violent criminals are apprehended and locked away in jails and prisons," stated Sheriff Billy Woods. "When we received the initial report of this crime, I asked my deputies and detectives to leave no stone unturned in the search for the individual responsible. Ms. Duran's false report took away resources that we could have used to investigate actual crimes that occurred against our citizens." Sheriff Woods also stated, "Were it not for the hard work of my detectives, it is possible that this woman could have succeeded in her attempt to defraud the U visa process. This case serves as a reminder that the situation at our country's borders affects what local law enforcement encounters every day."

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