

WINNEBAGO COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE		NEWS RELEASE NUMBER
NEWS MEDIA RELEASE		2017-079
INFORMATION: REWARD FOR THE ARREST OF JORDAN SPATES CONTINUES TO CLIMB.		
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WINNEBAGO COUNTY SHERIFF GARY CARUANA ANNOUNCES THE SHERIFF'S OFFICE ALONG WITH THE ROCKFORD RESIDENT AGENCY OF THE FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION ARE OFFERING A REWARD OF UP TO \$10,000.00 FOR INFORMATION LEADING TO THE ARREST OF JORDAN D. SPATES, WHO IS ACCUSED OF SHOOTING SHERIFF'S DEPUTY STEPHEN WRIGHT ON SEPTEMBER 23RD, 2017. THIS BRINGS THE POTENTIAL REWARD OFFERING FOR THE ARREST OF JORDAN SPATES TO \$15,000.00.

SHERIFF CARUANA WOULD LIKE TO EXPRESS HIS SINCERE GRATITUDE ON BEHALF OF ALL MEMBERS OF THE WINNEBAGO COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE TO THE ROCKFORD RESIDENT AGENCY OF THE FBI FOR THE GENEROUS REWARD OFFER TO HELP WITH THE CAPTURE OF JORDAN SPATES. SHERIFF CARUANA WOULD LIKE TO REMIND THE PUBLIC OF THE COOPERATIVE EFFORTS THAT ARE AT WORK ON A DAILY BASIS IN THE WINNEBAGO COUNTY REGION. SHERIFF CARUANA SAYS THE LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCY PARTNERSHIPS THAT HAVE BEEN DEVELOPED ON THE LOCAL, STATE AND FEDERAL LEVELS IN THIS REGION ARE A TREMENDOUS ASSET TO PUBLIC SAFETY. SHERIFF'S DEPUTIES CONTINUE WORKING TIRELESSLY TO FIND SPATES AND TO PROTECT THE PUBLIC.

JORDAN SPATES IS CONSIDERED TO BE ARMED AND DANGEROUS. ANYONE WITH INFORMATION CONCERNING HIS WHEREABOUTS IS ENCOURAGED TO CALL THE WINNEBAGO COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE AT 815-282-2600 OR CRIME STOPPERS AT 815-963-7867

: SHERIFF : CHIEF DEPUTY : DEPUTY CHIEF OF DETECTIVE BUREAU : DEPUTY CHIEF OF PATROL BUREAU : DEPUTY CHIEF OF ADMINISTRATIVE BUREAU : DEPUTY CHIEF OF SUPPORT SERVICES : SUPERINTENDENT OF CORRECTIONS : ACCREDITATION MANAGER : MACHESNEY PARK SECTION SUPERVISOR : FOREST PRESERVE SECTION SUPERVISOR : ESDA SECTION DIRECTOR : PATROL ROLL CALL BOOK : PUBLIC INFORMATION OFFICER : 1ST FLOOR BULLETIN BOARD : WEB SITE COORDINATOR	SHERIFF GARY CARUANA <hr/> SUPERVISOR AUTHORIZING RELEASE DATE: <u>09/ 29 /17</u> TIME: <u>1500 HOURS</u>
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