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Community Notification: Level III Sex Offenders

Port Orchard, Wash. – The Kitsap County Sheriff's Office is releasing the following information pursuant to RCW 4.24.550, and a Washington State Supreme Court decision in State vs. Ward, regarding public notification of the anticipated residency of convicted sexual offenders.

The three persons who are named in this advisory have been convicted of criminal offenses that require registration with the Sheriff's Office in the county of their residence. Further, their previous criminal history places them in a classification level that reflects the *potential* to re-offend.

(1) Name: Loren Vernon Safly (AKA: Loren Vern Jones), white male, age 28.

Residence location: Safly will be residing at a residence in the 3800 block of West Old Belfair Highway, South Kitsap.

Description: 5' 11" ht., 228 lbs. wt., brown-colored hair and hazel-colored eyes.

Criminal history: According to court documents, Safly was convicted in 1991 of child molestation, 1st degree, for sexually molesting a seven year-old female relative over the course of two years. In 1999 he was convicted of assault, 4th degree, when he sexually assaulted a 16 year-old female. Safly also has previous convictions for failure to register as a sex offender, unlawful imprisonment and narcotics-related charges.

Community meeting: A community notification meeting regarding Safly will be held at 6:00 p.m., Wednesday, Aug. 17, 2005, in the Kitsap Room of the Givens Community Center, 1026 Sidney Avenue, Port Orchard.



Loren Vern Safly
Photo date: July 15, 2005

(2) Name: Michael David Marchlewski, white male, age 18.

Residence location: Marchlewski is due to be released from incarceration on Aug. 31, 2005. He will be residing in the 14000 block of Rabbit Lane SW, South Kitsap.

Description: 5' 09" ht., 140 lbs. wt., brown-colored hair and blue-colored eyes.

Criminal history: Court documents state that Marchlewski has twice been convicted of child molestation, 2nd degree; once in April 2004 and again in September 2004. In the first instance Marchlewski had sexual relations with an underage female. In the second case Marchlewski was convicted of sexually fondling two 13 year-old girls while an accomplice held them down.

Community meeting: A community notification meeting concerning Marchlewski will be held at 6:00 p.m., Wednesday, Aug. 17, 2005, in the Kitsap Room of the Givens Community Center, 1026 Sidney Avenue, Port Orchard.



Michael David Marchlewski
Photo date: June 3, 2004

(3) Name: Michael Allen Leo Wilkinson, white male, age 24.

Residence location: Wilkinson will be residing within the county as a transient, with no permanent residence. He has indicated that he will be staying in the West Bremerton and South Kitsap areas. Wilkinson is frequently observed on foot in these locations.

Description: 6' 03" ht., 190 lbs. wt., red-colored hair and blue-colored eyes.

Criminal history: Wilkinson was convicted of three counts of communication with a minor for immoral purposes in October 2004. The victims were known to him. Further, he was convicted of robbery, 2nd degree, in March, after he entered the locker room of a local area pool and robbed five juveniles at knifepoint.

While in custody, most recently, Wilkinson admitted to having several sexual relationships with juvenile males between the ages of 10 to 17, however their identities are unknown. He was also convicted of theft in 2001 and 2003.

Community meeting: No community notification meeting is scheduled as Wilkinson does not have an approved residence. Wilkinson is required to check-in, daily, with his

community corrections officer. As a transient registered sex offender, Wilkinson is required to check-in with the Sheriff's Office once per week.



Michael Allen Leo Wilkinson
Photo date: April 22, 2005

As of this date, there are 18,813 sex offenders who have registered as required and are living in Washington State. Of this number, 652 are registered with the Sheriff's Office as living at locations in unincorporated areas of the county, while 190 are registered to addresses within the city limits of the four municipalities.

The sex offenders listed above have served the sentences imposed on them by the courts. These persons are not wanted by law enforcement at this time. This notification is not intended to increase fear; rather, an informed public is a safer public.

The Sheriff's Office has no legal authority to direct where a registered sex offender may or may not reside. Unless court-ordered restrictions exist, registered offenders are constitutionally free to live wherever they choose.

Sexual offenders have always lived within our communities. It wasn't until passage of legislation entitled the "Community Protection Act of 1990," which mandates sex offender registration, that law enforcement even knew where they were living.

Abuse of information provided through the sex offender notification process, in order to intimidate, harass or threaten registered offenders, will result in an investigation and the

filing of criminal charges against the perpetrators. Such abuse could potentially end law enforcement's ability to conduct community notifications. The only person who 'wins,' if community notification is halted, is the registered sex offender, as sexual offenders derive their power through secrecy.

The Sheriff's Community Resource Officer, Deputy Pete Ball, is available to assist communities in establishing block or neighborhood watch programs and to provide the public with information on personal safety. He may be contacted at (360) 337-7074.

For further information on registered sex offenders within Kitsap County, contact Detective Doug Dillard at (360) 337-5617.

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