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PRESS RELEASES

Warrant Arrest: On March 4, 2022, Deputies from the Talbot County Sheriff's Office arrested Erik David Mulder Jr., 34 of Federalsburg, MD. On August 30, 2021, the District Court for Talbot County issued an arrest warrant charging Mulder with violation of probation on the original charge of assault. Mulder was transported to the Talbot County Central Booking facility for processing and an initial appearance before a District Court Commissioner. Mulder was ordered held on a \$5,000 cash bond.

CDS Arrest: On March 4, 2022 at approximately 9:42 pm, Deputies from the Talbot County Sheriff's Office stopped a motor vehicle on Ocean Gateway near Rabbit Hill Road for a moving violation. Deputies identified the driver as Evan James Pappas, 20 of Baltimore, MD and developed probable cause to search the vehicle. Deputies located marijuana and issued Pappas a criminal citation for possession of a controlled substance. Pappas was released from the scene upon his signature on the citation.

Warrant Arrest: On March 6, 2022, Deputies from the Talbot County Sheriff's Office arrested Joseph Luther Underwood, 46 of Bealeton, VA. On September 22, 2021, the District Court for Talbot County issued an arrest warrant charging Underwood with failing to appear for a scheduled court hearing on the original charge of theft. Underwood was transported to the Talbot County Central Booking facility for processing and an initial appearance before a District Court Commissioner. Underwood was ordered held pending further action by the court.

Warrant Arrest: On March 7, 2022, Deputies from the Talbot County Sheriff's Office arrested Michael Donell Jackson, 56 of Hurlock, MD. On February 28, 2022, the Circuit Court for Talbot County issued an arrest warrant charging Jackson with failing to appear for a scheduled child support hearing. Jackson was transported to the Talbot County Central Booking facility for processing and an initial appearance before a District Court Commissioner. Jackson was ordered held pending an appearance before the Talbot County Circuit Court Judge.

Warrant Arrest: On March 7, 2022, Deputies from the Talbot County Sheriff's Office arrested Dontraye Lamonte Batson Jr., 22 of Federalsburg, MD. On December 20, 2021, the District Court for Dorchester County issued two arrest warrants charging Batson with failing to appear for a scheduled hearing and driving without a license. Batson was transported to the Talbot County Central Booking facility for processing and an initial appearance before a District Court Commissioner. Batson was held pending further action by the court.

Warrant Arrest: On March 8, 2022, Deputies from the Talbot County Sheriff's Office arrested Patrick Bruce Wrightson, 42 of Whittman, MD. On January 21, 2022, the Circuit Court for Talbot County issued an arrest warrant charging Wrightson with violation of probation on the original charge of driving while intoxicated. Wrightson was transported to the Talbot County Central Booking facility for processing and an initial appearance before a District Court Commissioner. Wrightson was ordered held pending a hearing with the Circuit Court Judge.

Warrant Arrest: On March 9, 2022, Deputies from the Talbot County Sheriff's Office arrested Jerez Nehemiah Stone-Coleman, 27 of Brentwood, MD. On July 30, 2021, the Circuit Court for Talbot County issued an arrest warrant charging Stone-Coleman with failing to appear on the original charge of theft. Stone-Coleman was transported to the Talbot County Central Booking facility for processing and an initial appearance before a District Court Commissioner. Stone-Coleman was ordered held pending further action by the Circuit Court.

Warrant Arrest: On March 10, 2022, Deputies from the Talbot County Sheriff's Office arrested James Thomas Purkey, 39 of Oxford, MD. On January 11, 2022, the District Court for Talbot County issued two arrest warrants for Purkey charging him with possession of a controlled substance and escape. Purkey was located and taken into custody by law enforcement in Berkley County, WV, being held until deputies were able to extradite him back to Talbot County, MD. Purkey was transported to the Talbot County Central Booking facility for processing and an initial appearance before a District Court Commissioner. Purkey was held pending further action by the court.

Handgun Arrest: On March 10, 2022 at approximately 11:30 pm, Deputies from the Talbot County Sheriff's Office stopped a motor vehicle on Ocean Gateway near Sanderstown Road for a registration violation. Deputies identified the driver as Jeremiah Takel Wongus, 22 of Cambridge, MD and developed probable cause to search the vehicle. Deputies located marijuana and a loaded handgun in the vehicle. Wongus was placed under arrest and charged with transporting a handgun in a vehicle, driving without a license and possession of a controlled substance. Wongus was transported to the Talbot County Central Booking facility for processing and an initial appearance before a District Court Commissioner. Wongus was held pending further action by the court.