PRESS RELEASE
KETCHIKAN POLICE DEPARTMENT
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On 09/23/18, Brian Ojedo, age 25, was contacted at the Ketchikan Recreational Center. He was arrested on an outstanding warrant for Petition to Revoke Probation. He was transported to the state jail and held on $5000.00 bail.

On 9/25/18 at approximately 0728 hours, Officers contacted Tiffany Howard, age 25, in the 2500 block of Tongass Avenue. She was served a summons charging her with Theft in the Fourth Degree. The summons stems from a September 2018 case.

On 09/26/18 at approximately 1552 hours, Tyler J. Close, age 25, was arrested in the 800 block of Venetia Avenue on 6 outstanding warrants for various crimes including Assault in the Fourth Degree x 2, Violation of Conditions of Release, Unlawful Contact, Fraudulent Use of an Access Devise, Criminal Trespass in the Second Degree, Theft in the Second Degree, and Criminal Mischief in the Fourth Degree. He was held without bail.

On 09/27/18 at approximately 0727 hours, Officers responded to the 1700 block of 2nd Avenue to take a report of a domestic assault between a son and his mother. Donovan F. Silva, age 49, was arrested for Assault in the Fourth Degree – Domestic Violence. He was transported to the state jail and held without bail.

On 09/27/18 at approximately 1631 hours, Officers arrested Donovan F. Silva, age 49, for Trespass in the Second Degree and Violation of Conditions of Release. Mr. Silva was found on the premises of a business located in the 2400 block of Tongass he had previously been warned not to enter. Mr. Silva was transported to Ketchikan Correctional Center where he was held without bail.

On 09/28/18 Officers of the Ketchikan Police Department, with the assistance of the Metlakatla Police Department and the Alaska State Troopers, concluded an investigation involving multiple incidents of Sexual Abuse of a Minor. Based on the evidence obtained in the investigation Louis H. Fawcett Jr. (69 years of age of Metlakatla), was placed under arrest in Metlakatla for two counts of Sexual Abuse of a Minor in the First Degree and five counts of Sexual Abuse of a Minor in the Second Degree. He was transported to the Ketchikan Correctional Center where he was booked accordingly and held without bail.

All charges reported in this media release are only accusations. All defendants are presumed innocent until proven guilty.

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