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Date:	06/16/2025	Time:	12:30 AM	Classification:	*OPEN DOOR
Location:	1300 Block BUTLER	Report Number	2025-0923	Officer:	5130
Synopsis:	<i>On 06/16/2025 at approximately 0030 hours, I was conducting normal patrol activities. I located an open door in the 1300 block of Butler Street in West Plains, Missouri. The building was cleared and resecured without incident. A report was completed for documentation purposes.</i>				
Date:	06/16/2025	Time:	6:47 AM	Classification:	STEALING - MOTOR VEHICLE/WATERCRAFT/AIRCRAFT & PRIOR STEALING OFFENDER
Location:	1400 Block 2ND	Report Number	2025-0924	Officer:	5132
Synopsis:	<i>On June 16th, 2025 officers responded to the 1400 block of 2nd St. for a report of a stolen vehicle. This case is open pending further investigation.</i>				
Date:	06/16/2025	Time:	11:08 AM	Classification:	*96- HOUR MENTAL EVALUATION
Location:	Block MISSOURI	Report Number	2025-0926	Officer:	571
Synopsis:	<i>On 06/16/2025 I responded to the area of Minnesota and 6th Street referencing a male subject that made a threat to harm himself. Upon arrival, contact was made with the subject who was transported by EMS to OZH for a 96 hour hold for a mental evaluation. This matter will be closed.</i>				
Date:	06/16/2025	Time:	3:21 PM	Classification:	PASSING BAD CHECK - FELONY
Location:	900 Block PREACHER ROE	Report Number	2025-0927	Officer:	5234
Synopsis:	<i>On June 16, 2025, at Approximately 1521 hours, I responded to a business in West Plains, Howell County in reference to stealing not in progress. It was discovered that a male was scammed and now owes 3354.88 in overdrawn money. This case and a Probable Cause statement will be forwarded to the Howell County Prosecutor's Office for review.</i>				
Date:	06/16/2025	Time:	8:12 PM	Classification:	*96- HOUR MENTAL EVALUATION
Location:	1200 Block JACKSON	Report Number	2025-0930	Officer:	5123
Synopsis:	<i>On Monday, June 16, 2025, at approximately 2015 hours, officers were dispatched to the 1200 block of Jackson, West Plains, Howell County, Missouri, in reference to harassment. An individual was transported to Ozarks Healthcare for a 96-hour mental evaluation.</i>				
Date:	06/16/2025	Time:	8:50 PM	Classification:	*RUNAWAY JUVENILE
Location:	Block HOLIDAY	Report Number	2025-0929	Officer:	5233
Synopsis:	<i>On 06/16/2025 I was dispatched to the 1900 block of Holiday Lane for a Runaway Juvenile. The juvenile female was located and transported to the hospital.</i>				
Date:	06/17/2025	Time:	12:11 PM	Classification:	STEALING - FELONY
Location:	1300 Block PREACHER ROE	Report Number	2025-0931	Officer:	571
Synopsis:	<i>On 06/17/2025 I spoke with an individual at the West Plains Police Department who alleged her medication was stolen from her unsecured vehicle on 06/16/2025 while it was parked in the 1300 block of Preacher Roe within the city limits of West Plains, Howell County Missouri.</i>				
Date:	06/17/2025	Time:	5:21 PM	Classification:	ASSAULT - 3RD DEGREE
Location:	400 Block AID	Report Number	2025-0932	Officer:	5234
Synopsis:	<i>On June 17, 2025, at approximately 17:21, I responded to the area of Aid Avenue regarding a disturbance in progress. It was discovered that a verbal and physical altercation took place between two females and a male. This case is considered closed due to uncooperative victims.</i>				
Date:	06/18/2025	Time:	2:17 AM	Classification:	*ASSAULT
Location:	2400 Block MCFARLAND	Report Number	2025-0933	Officer:	5131
Synopsis:	<i>On June 18, 2025, the West Plains Department responded to the location of Breckenridge apartments for the report of an assault in progress; after investigating the situation, it was determined that no law enforcement</i>				

**action was necessary**

Date:	06/18/2025	Time:	2:30 AM	Classification:	*DOMESTIC ASSAULT IN THE FOURTH DEGREE
Location:	200 Block LEYDA	Report Number	2025-0934	Officer:	5131
Synopsis:	<b>On June 18, 2025, West Plains personnel responded to a domestic, not-in-progress call on W Leyda St. After a full investigation was conducted, it was determined that no law enforcement action would be taken.</b>				
Date:	06/18/2025	Time:	8:17 AM	Classification:	*AGENCY ASSIST
Location:	400 Block 2ND	Report Number	2025-0935	Officer:	5111
Synopsis:	<b>On June 18, 2025, another agency requested the assistance of a K9 on a package in West Plains, Missouri. K9 alerted to the package and suspected narcotics was located inside.</b>				
Date:	06/18/2025	Time:	9:54 AM	Classification:	*FTA / WARRANT
Location:	1500 Block IMPERIAL	Report Number	2025-0936	Officer:	5122
Synopsis:	<b>On June 18th, 2025, at approximately 0945 hours, I was dispatched to the 1500 block of Imperial Center, West Plains, for warrant service. On arrival I contacted a female subject with active full US extradition warrants. The female was taken into custody without incident and transported to the Howell County Jail Facility.</b>				
Date:	06/18/2025	Time:	2:43 PM	Classification:	*LOST OR STOLEN PROPERTY
Location:	1700 Block PORTER WAGONER	Report Number	2025-0937	Officer:	5125
Synopsis:	<b>On June 18, 2025, I was dispatched to the 1700 block of Porter Waggoner for lost property. This case is considered inactive pending further information.</b>				
Date:	06/18/2025	Time:	6:27 PM	Classification:	DOMESTIC ASSAULT - 4TH DEGREE - 1ST OR 2ND OFFENSE (1),(5)
Location:	1100 Block KENTUCKY	Report Number	2025-0938	Officer:	5234
Synopsis:	<b>On June 18, 2025, at approximately 18:27 hours I responded to the main entrance of the hospital in West Plains, Howell County, in reference to a domestic in progress. It was discovered that a verbal argument turned physical, causing damage to property. . No charges are being filed at this time.</b>				
Date:	06/18/2025	Time:	7:56 PM	Classification:	*VERBAL DOMESTIC
Location:	700 Block MISSOURI	Report Number	2025-0939	Officer:	5234
Synopsis:	<b>On June 18, 2025, at approximately 18:27 hours, I responded to a residence in West Plains, Howell County, in reference to a disturbance in progress. It was discovered that a boyfriend and girlfriend were in a verbal argument. Both parties seperated for the night. No charges are being pursued due to an uncooperative victim.</b>				
Date:	06/18/2025	Time:	11:52 PM	Classification:	*FTA / WARRANT
Location:	Block US HIGHWAY 63	Report Number	2025-0940	Officer:	5238
Synopsis:	<b>On June 18th, 2025, officers performed a traffic stop on US Highway 63. After identifying all subjects in the vehicle, it was determined that one of the subjects had a warrant for their arrest. The subject was then arrested and booked. This case should be considered closed.</b>				
Date:	06/19/2025	Time:	4:49 PM	Classification:	LEAVING SCENE OF ACCIDENT
Location:	200 Block JAN HOWARD EXPWY	Report Number	2025-0941	Officer:	5127
Synopsis:	<b>On June 19, 2025, at approximately 4:52 P.M., I, Officer R. Shell #5127, was dispatched to a two-motor vehicle crash blocking the roadway on US Highway 63 just north of State Route K. A female victim was contacted and a report was taken.</b>				
Date:	06/19/2025	Time:	11:06 PM	Classification:	POSSESSION OF CONTROLLED SUBSTANCE EXCEPT 35 GRAMS OR LESS OF MARIJUANA/SYNTH CANNABINOID
Location:	Block PENNSYLVANIA	Report Number	2025-0942	Officer:	5127
Synopsis:	<b>On June 19, 2025, at approximately 11:06 P.M., I, Officer R. Shell #5127, was on patrol near Pennsylvania Ave. and Broadway Ave., West Plains, MO. 65775. I observed a male and female subject walking down the center of the street. A male and female subject were contacted. The female subject was later arrested and transported to the West Plains Jail for fingerprinting and booking. The female subject was later released and charges will be forwarded to the Howell County Prosecuting Attorney's Office for review.</b>				
Date:	06/20/2025	Time:	1:52 PM	Classification:	AGENCY ASSIST: USPS 4522208-PMCE
Location:	500 Block OLD CANE BLUFF	Report Number	2025-0943	Officer:	592
Synopsis:	<b>On June 20, 2025, the Southwest MO Cyber Crimes Task Force was requested to assist the United States Postal Inspectors Service concerning a child exploitation investigation. The investigation is on-going.</b>				
Date:	06/20/2025	Time:	5:20 PM	Classification:	INTERFERENCE WITH CUSTODY

Location: **2500 Block GINGER**

Report Number **2025-0944**

Officer: **5127**

Synopsis: **On June 20, 2025, at approximately 4:45 p.m., I, Officer Shell, was dispatched to the West Plains Police Department lobby regarding a report of a court-ordered child custody violation. A female subject was contacted and a report was taken charges will be forwarded to the Howell County Prosecuting Attorney's Office for review.**

Date: **06/20/2025** Time: **5:23 PM** Classification: **\*LOST OR STOLEN PROPERTY**

Location: **1000 Block 6TH**

Report Number **2025-0945**

Officer: **5125**

Synopsis: **On June 20, 2025, at approximately 17:23 hrs, I was dispatched to the 1000 block of 6th Street, for stealing not in progress. This case is inactive pending further information.**

Date: **06/20/2025** Time: **7:12 PM** Classification: **\*96- HOUR MENTAL EVALUATION**

Location: **1200 Block HOWELL**

Report Number **2025-0946**

Officer: **5125**

Synopsis: **On June 20, 2025, I was dispatched to the 1200 block of North Howell Avenue for harassment. This case is closed, victim was uncooperative.**

Date: **06/20/2025** Time: **9:30 PM** Classification: **ASSAULT - 3RD DEGREE**

Location: **Block US 63**

Report Number **2025-0947**

Officer: **5127**

Synopsis: **On June 20, 2025, at approximately 9.20 p.m., I, Officer Shell, was dispatched near the 1800 block of Porter Wagner Blvd., W. Plains, MO 65775, for a report of an assault not in progress. A female victim was contacted and a report was taken. Charges will be forwarded to the Howell County Prosecuting Attorney's Office for review.**

Date: **06/20/2025** Time: **10:29 PM** Classification: **DOMESTIC ASSAULT - 3RD DEGREE**

Location: **1000 Block DAVIDSON**

Report Number **2025-0948**

Officer: **5113**

Synopsis: **On June 20, 2025, at approximately 2230 hours, officers responded to the 1000 block of Davidson Street, West Plains, Missouri, in reference to a report of a Domestic Assault. A female was taken into custody and placed on a 24 hour hold for Domestic Assault 3rd Degree. A probable cause statement was forwarded to the Howell County Prosecutor's Office.**

Date: **06/21/2025** Time: **3:35 AM** Classification: **\*OPEN DOOR**

Location: **200 Block WALNUT**

Report Number **2025-0949**

Officer: **5129**

Synopsis: **On June 21st, 2025, at approximately 0335 hours, I located an open door at 202 Walnut West Plains, Missouri. I then conducted a security sweep of the building. Upon exiting the premises, I shut the door behind myself, and it locked.**

Date: **06/21/2025** Time: **10:21 AM** Classification: **\*FTA / WARRANT**

Location: **Block MATTHEW LANE**

Report Number **2025-0950**

Officer: **5132**

Synopsis: **On June 21st, 2025, officers were on patrol and received an alert from the vehicle's LPR with an active warrant attached. The vehicle's owner was contacted and confirmed he did have an active warrant. He was then transported to the West Plains Jail where he was booked and released on bond.**

Date: **06/21/2025** Time: **1:51 PM** Classification: **\*FTA / WARRANT**

Location: **200 Block JAN HOWARD EXPWY**

Report Number **2025-0951**

Officer: **5132**

Synopsis: **On June 21st, 2025, officers responded to the 200 block of Jan Howard Expy., for a report of a male trespassing. During the incident, it was learned that the male in question had an active warrant out of Christian County. The male was placed under arrest and transported to the Howell County Jail.**

Date: **06/21/2025** Time: **7:42 PM** Classification: **\*DRIVING WHILE REVOKED SUSPENDED**

Location: **Block PREACHER ROE**

Report Number **2025-0952**

Officer: **5238**

Synopsis: **On June 21st, 2025, I conducted a traffic stop on a vehicle on US Highway 63 in West Plains, Howell County, Missouri. I made contact with the driver of the vehicle. The driver of the vehicle did not have a valid driver's license. I placed the driver under arrest, and he was booked and released. A passenger in the vehicle was also arrested for an active warrant and was transported to the Sheriff's Office. This case will be referred to the Prosecuting Attorney's Office.**

Date: **06/21/2025** Time: **8:53 PM** Classification: **\*ASSAULT**

Location: **Block GIBSON**

Report Number **2025-0959**

Officer: **5127**

Synopsis: **On June 21, 2025, at approximately 8.53 p.m., I, Officer R. Shell, # 5127, and Officer J. Mingus #5233, were dispatched to the area of Gibson Avenue, West Plains, Missouri, 65775, for a report of a disturbance not in progress. A male victim was contacted and a report was taken charges will be forwarded to the Municipal Prosecutor for review.**



Date:	<b>06/22/2025</b>	Time:	<b>3:16 AM</b>	Classification:	<b>*OPEN DOOR</b>
Location:	<b>500 Block MAIN</b>	Report Number	<b>2025-0954</b>	Officer:	<b>5129</b>
Synopsis:	<b>On June 22nd, 2025, at approximately 0346 hours, officers were conducting an area foot patrol at 503 Main West Plains, Missouri, and located an open door. Upon exiting the premises, I shut the door behind myself, and it locked.</b>				
Date:	<b>06/22/2025</b>	Time:	<b>9:13 AM</b>	Classification:	<b>*OPERATE VEHICLE ON HIGHWAY WITHOUT VALID OR NO LICENSE</b>
Location:	<b>Block RHONDA</b>	Report Number	<b>2025-0955</b>	Officer:	<b>5132</b>
Synopsis:	<b>On June 22nd, 2025, officers conducted a traffic stop with a vehicle for the driver and passenger not wearing seat belts. During the stop, it was discovered that the driver's driving status was expired and the passenger had an active warrant from Probation and Parol. The driver was arrested and transported to the West Plains Jail where she was booked and released with citations. The passenger was transported to the Howell County Jail and released to the jail staff.</b>				
Date:	<b>06/22/2025</b>	Time:	<b>11:21 AM</b>	Classification:	<b>BURGLARY - 2ND DEGREE</b>
Location:	<b>100 Block PROSPECT</b>	Report Number	<b>2025-0957</b>	Officer:	<b>5132</b>
Synopsis:	<b>On June 22nd, 2025, officers responded to the 100 block of Prospect for a report of a burglary not in progress. During the investigation, the suspect stole clothing items from a laundry room. This case is still open and under investigation.</b>				
Date:	<b>06/22/2025</b>	Time:	<b>11:21 AM</b>	Classification:	<b>BURGLARY - 2ND DEGREE</b>
Location:	<b>100 Block PROSPECT</b>	Report Number	<b>2025-0956</b>	Officer:	<b>5132</b>
Synopsis:	<b>On June 22nd, 2025, officers responded to the 100 block of Prospect St. for a report of Burglary not in progress. During the investigation, the owner stated that she was away on vacation and when she came home she noticed someone stayed at her house and a TV was stolen. A suspect was identified but officers were unable to locate the male. A probable cause statement has been forwarded to the Howell County Prosecutor's Office.</b>				
Date:	<b>06/22/2025</b>	Time:	<b>12:53 PM</b>	Classification:	<b>*ASSAULT</b>
Location:	<b>600 Block SHUTTEE</b>	Report Number	<b>2025-0958</b>	Officer:	<b>598</b>
Synopsis:	<b>On 06-22-2025 at 1253 hours, Officers were dispatched to the 600 block of Shuttee Street for a report of an assault.</b>  <b>Upon my arrival, I made contact with a male who stated that he was assaulted by another male</b>				
Date:	<b>06/22/2025</b>	Time:	<b>7:53 PM</b>	Classification:	<b>*ANIMAL BITE</b>
Location:	<b>500 Block PORTER WAGONER</b>	Report Number	<b>2025-0960</b>	Officer:	<b>5131</b>
Synopsis:	<b>On June 22, 2025, the West Plains Police Department Responded to the location of West Plains Motel For the report of a dog bite incident; after an investigation of the scene, it was determined that the dog involved would be transported to the West Plains Animal Control Facility.</b>				
Date:	<b>06/22/2025</b>	Time:	<b>11:12 PM</b>	Classification:	<b>ASSAULT - 3RD DEGREE</b>
Location:	<b>Block LINCOLN</b>	Report Number	<b>2025-0961</b>	Officer:	<b>5130</b>
Synopsis:	<b>On 06/22/2025 officers responded to the area of Washington Avenue, West Plains, Howell County, Missouri for a report of an assault. Upon further investigation officers located all parties involved in the incident. One suspect was placed on a 24 hour hold pending formal charges. This case has been forwarded to the Howell County Prosecutor's Office for review.</b>				
Date:	<b>06/23/2025</b>	Time:	<b>10:24 AM</b>	Classification:	<b>*TRESPASSING</b>
Location:	<b>1600 Block GIBSON</b>	Report Number	<b>2025-0962</b>	Officer:	<b>5132</b>
Synopsis:	<b>On June 23rd, 2025, officers responded to a business located in the 1600 block of Gibson Ave for a male trespassing. The male was issued a citation and left the property.</b>				
Date:	<b>06/23/2025</b>	Time:	<b>12:14 PM</b>	Classification:	<b>SMCCTF: CC25-00810   NCMEC CTR 209934761</b>
Location:	<b>1900 Block HOLIDAY</b>	Report Number	<b>2025-0964</b>	Officer:	<b>592</b>
Synopsis:	<b>On June 24, 2025, the Southwest MO Cyber Crimes Task Force received a Cyber Tip Report from the National Center of Missing &amp; Exploited Children, indicating that Snap, Inc. had observed files depicting child pornography across their servers. The suspect geo-locates to the Douglas County, Missouri area. The investigation is on-going.</b>				
Date:	<b>06/23/2025</b>	Time:	<b>1:15 PM</b>	Classification:	<b>*AGENCY ASSIST</b>

Location: **900 Block PREACHER ROE**

Report Number **2025-0965**

Officer: **5132**

Synopsis: ***On June 23rd, 2025, officers responded to the 1900 block of Holiday Ln. for a report of stealing not in progress. During the investigation, the victim stated her debit card information was stolen. A report was taken and referred to the Howell County Sheriff's Office due to the incident taking place outside our jurisdiction.***

Date: **06/23/2025**

Time: **1:58 PM**

Classification: **BURGLARY - 2ND DEGREE**

Location: **500 Block SAINT LOUIS**

Report Number **2025-0966**

Officer: **5234**

Synopsis: ***On June 23, 2025, at 1519 hours, I responded to storage facility, in reference to a burglary not in progress. It was discovered that the victims storage unit was broken into and all items inside were missing. This case is considered closed at this time due to lack of evidence and no suspect information.***

Date: **06/23/2025**

Time: **4:43 PM**

Classification: **\*OUT OF CONTROL JUVENILE**

Location: **2600 Block RIDGEWOOD**

Report Number **2025-0967**

Officer: **5234**

Synopsis: ***On June 23, 2025, at 1647 hours, I responded to a residence in West Plains, Howell County in reference to a juvenile problem. It was discovered that a juvenile was agitated and making threats to kill his brother. The juvenile was transported to the hospital and an affidavit was completed due to the statements the juvenile made.***

