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Date:	01/19/2026	Time:	2:39 PM	Classificaiton:	*INFORMATIONAL REPORT
Location:	1100 Block LINCOLN	Report Number	2026-0099	Officer:	5129
Synopsis:	<i>On January 19th, 2026, at approximately 1439 hours, I was dispatched to the 1100 block of Lincoln Avenue, West Plains, Howell County, Missouri, for a report of an assault involving a weapon. Upon further investigation, no gun was brandished in a threatening manner. This case is for informational purposes only, and no charges will be filed.</i>				
Date:	01/19/2026	Time:	4:06 PM	Classificaiton:	PROPERTY DAMAGE - 2ND DEGREE
Location:	3400 Block DIVISION	Report Number	2026-0100	Officer:	5129
Synopsis:	<i>On January 19th, 2026, at approximately 16:06 hours, I was dispatched to the 3000 block of Division, West Plains, Missouri, for a report of property damage. Upon further investigation, it was found that a Juvenile male had punched a hole in the wall. This case will be referred to the Juvenile Office.</i>				
Date:	01/20/2026	Time:	12:09 AM	Classificaiton:	*POSSESS DRUG PARAPHERNALIA
Location:	2000 Block COUNTY ROAD 1770	Report Number	2026-0101	Officer:	5237
Synopsis:	<i>On January 20th,2026, a traffic stop was conducted on County Road 1770. During the traffic stop, the driver was learned to be operating the vehicle without a valid licence. The driver was arrested and learned to be in possession of drug paraphernalia. The driver was processed accordingly. This case has been referred to the West Plains Municipal Prosecutor's Office for review.</i>				
Date:	01/20/2026	Time:	2:37 AM	Classificaiton:	*FTA / WARRANT
Location:	Block US HWY 63	Report Number	2026-0102	Officer:	582
Synopsis:	<i>1-20-26 a traffic stop was conducted on US Hwy. 63 for exceeding the posted speed limit by 22MPH. As a result of the stop, the female driver was arrested on an active warrant out of Cabool PD for speeding and issued a citation for speeding. The female was later released after posting bond.</i>				
Date:	01/20/2026	Time:	8:23 AM	Classificaiton:	*AGENCY ASSIST
Location:	9300 Block COUNTY ROAD 8040	Report Number	2026-0103	Officer:	545
Synopsis:	<i>On January 19th, 2026 Howell County Sheriff Matt Roberts requested assistance from West Plains Police Department Negotiators at a residence on County road 8040 east of West Plains. The Howell County Sheriffs Department is the reporting agency and all questions about this incident should be directed to them.</i>				
Date:	01/20/2026	Time:	4:37 PM	Classificaiton:	*FTA / WARRANT
Location:	700 Block BROADWAY	Report Number	2026-0105	Officer:	5120
Synopsis:	<i>On January 20,2026, I conducted a traffic stop on Cass Ave West P,lains, Missouri. The Male driver had active warrants and was taken into custody on the warrants.</i>				
Date:	01/20/2026	Time:	7:02 PM	Classificaiton:	*FTA / WARRANT
Location:	1900 Block HOLIDAY	Report Number	2026-0107	Officer:	5127
Synopsis:	<i>On January 20, 2026, at approximately 7:02 P.M., I, Officer R. Shell #5127, was advised by dispatch that a female, was arrested by the Texas County Sheriff's Office for an active warrant out of our agency. A short time later a female subject was arrested and transported to the West Plains Jail for booking.</i>				
Date:	01/20/2026	Time:	10:37 PM	Classificaiton:	*OPEN DOOR
Location:	700 Block KENTUCKY	Report Number	2026-0106	Officer:	5129
Synopsis:	<i>On January 20th, 2026, at approximately 2237 hours, officers were dispatched to the 700 block of Kentucky West Plains, Missouri,for a business alarm and located an open door. Officers then conducted a security sweep of the building. Upon exit the door was able to be secured.</i>				
Date:	01/21/2026	Time:	12:51 AM	Classificaiton:	SODOMY - 2ND DEGREE
Location:	500 Block PORTER WAGONER	Report Number	2026-0108	Officer:	5237
Synopsis:	<i>On January 21st,2026, at approximately 0051 hours, Officers were dispatched to 505 Porter Wagoner Blvd,</i>				

otherwise known as the West Plains Motel, for an assist medical call. During the incident an individual reported a sexual assault. An interview was conducted. This case is open pending further investigation.

Date:	01/21/2026	Time:	5:43 AM	Classificaiton:	*FTA / WARRANT
Location:	500 Block PORTER WAGONER	Report Number	2026-0109	Officer:	5237
Synopsis:	On January 21st,2026, at approximately 0051 hours, Officers were dispatched to 505 Porter Wagoner Blvd, otherwise known as the West Plains Motel, for an assist medical call. An individual was arrested for active arrest warrants and processed accordingly. This case is closed.				
Date:	01/21/2026	Time:	11:29 AM	Classificaiton:	DOMESTIC ASSAULT - 4TH DEGREE - 1ST OR 2ND OFFENSE (1),(5)
Location:	1000 Block CASS	Report Number	2026-0110	Officer:	5123
Synopsis:	On Wednesday, January 21, 2026, at approximately 1131 hours, officers were dispatched to the 1000 block of W. Cass, West Plains, Howell County, Missouri, in reference to a domestic assault in progress. This incident will be referred to the Howell County Juvenile Office.				
Date:	01/21/2026	Time:	6:08 PM	Classificaiton:	*FTA / WARRANT
Location:	900 Block HOWELL	Report Number	2026-0111	Officer:	5132
Synopsis:	On January 21st, 2025, officers responded to the 900 block of N Howell to serve an arrest warrant out of the City of West Plains. The male was arrested and transported to the West Plains Jail, where he was booked and released on bond.				
Date:	01/21/2026	Time:	8:07 PM	Classificaiton:	*DRIVING WHILE REVOKED SUSPENDED
Location:	1100 Block LINCOLN	Report Number	2026-0112	Officer:	5127
Synopsis:	On January 21, 2026, at approximately 8:07 P.M., I, Officer R. Shell #5127, was on patrol near Saint Louis St., West Plains, MO. 65775. I observed the driver of a vehicle failing to wear a seatbelt. A traffic stop was conducted and a female subject was later arrested. The female subject was transported to the West Plains jail for fingerprinting and booking. The female subject was later released on summons.				
Date:	01/21/2026	Time:	10:05 PM	Classificaiton:	*OUT OF CONTROL JUVENILE
Location:	3500 Block BROWNING	Report Number	2026-0113	Officer:	5120
Synopsis:	On January 21, 2026, I, Officer Keepes, responded to Browning St in West Plains, Missouri, in reference to an out of control juvenile. A report was completed for documentation purposes.				
Date:	01/22/2026	Time:	12:03 AM	Classificaiton:	*DRIVING WHILE REVOKED SUSPENDED
Location:	7300 Block COUNTY ROAD 1770	Report Number	2026-0114	Officer:	5131
Synopsis:	On January 22, 2026, West Plains Police conducted a traffic stop in the area of County Road 1770 for a city ordinance traffic violation. At the time of the stop, it was determined that the driver's operator status was revoked. The operator was subsequently arrested and issued citations after proceeding with booking, fingerprinting, and release procedures at the West Plains City Jail.				
Date:	01/22/2026	Time:	5:28 AM	Classificaiton:	*DRIVING WHILE REVOKED SUSPENDED
Location:	1500 Block US HIGHWAY 160	Report Number	2026-0115	Officer:	5237
Synopsis:	On January 22nd,2026, a traffic stop was conducted on Preacher Roe Blvd. The driver was learned to not have a valid driver's license. The driver was processed accordingly. This case has been referred to the West Plains Municipal Prosecutor's Office for review.				
Date:	01/22/2026	Time:	10:33 AM	Classificaiton:	*FTA / WARRANT
Location:	1900 Block HOLIDAY	Report Number	2026-0116	Officer:	5104
Synopsis:	On January 22, 2026 at approximately 1033 hours, I responded to the West Plains Municipal Courthouse for a report of a male subject being held in contempt of court. Upon arrival I made contact with the male who was placed under lawful arrest and transported to the West Plains Municipal Courthouse.				
Date:	01/22/2026	Time:	6:14 PM	Classificaiton:	*STEALING/LARCENY/THEFT
Location:	1300 Block PREACHER ROE	Report Number	2026-0117	Officer:	5132
Synopsis:	On January 22nd, 2025, officers responded to the 1300 block of Preacher Roe for a report of stealing not in progress. The suspect was identified and placed under arrest, where she was booked and released with a citation.				
Date:	01/22/2026	Time:	7:46 PM	Classificaiton:	*STEALING/LARCENY/THEFT
Location:	2300 Block LAMBE	Report Number	2026-0118	Officer:	5238
Synopsis:	On January 22, 2026, I was dispatched to the 2000 block of Lambe in West Plains, Howell County, Missouri, for a report of stealing. Made contact with the victim, but was unable to locate the suspect or any information				

regarding the suspect. This case will be closed.

Date:	01/22/2026	Time:	9:15 PM	Classification:	*FOUND PROPERTY
Location:	3600 Block US HIGHWAY 63	Report Number	2026-0119	Officer:	5238
Synopsis:	<i>On January 22, 2026, I was dispatched to te 3000 block of US Highway 63 in West Plains, Howell County, Missouri, for a report of lost or stolen property. The property was placed into evidence for safekeeping. This case will be considered closed.</i>				
Date:	01/22/2026	Time:	10:16 PM	Classification:	*FTA / WARRANT
Location:	2100 Block HUBERT REDBURN	Report Number	2026-0120	Officer:	5127
Synopsis:	<i>On January 22, 2026, at approximately 10:16 P.M., I, Officer R. Shell #5127, conducted a warrant service near the 2100 block of Hubert Redburn, West Plains, MO. 65775. A male subject was contacted and later arrested. The Male subject was transported to the West plains Jail for booking.</i>				
Date:	01/22/2026	Time:	10:58 PM	Classification:	TAMPERING WITH MOTOR VEHICLE - 2ND DEGREE
Location:	1300 Block PREACHER ROE	Report Number	2026-0121	Officer:	5134
Synopsis:	<i>On 01-22-26 at approximately 2324 hours I received a call to (1310 Preacher Roe Blvd) Walmart parking lot in regard to property damage report. This case is still under investigation.</i>				
Date:	01/23/2026	Time:	12:07 AM	Classification:	*POSSESS DRUG PARAPHERNALIA
Location:	500 Block PORTER WAGONER	Report Number	2026-0122	Officer:	5237
Synopsis:	<i>On January 23rd,2026, a traffic stop was conducted on Porter Wagoner Blvd. During the stop it was learned that the driver did not possess a valid driver's license. The driver was arrested and illicit items were located within the vehicle. The passenger was cited for an offense and released on scene. The driver was arrested and processed accordingly. This case has been forwarded to the West Plains Municipal Prosecutor's Office for review.</i>				
Date:	01/23/2026	Time:	7:40 AM	Classification:	HARASSMENT - 2ND DEGREE
Location:	600 Block OLDEN	Report Number	2026-0123	Officer:	5101
Synopsis:	<i>On January 23, 2025, at approximately 7:08 a.m., an officer from the West Plains Police Department received an anonymous tip in which a juvenile had allegedly been held down and the suspect attempted to insert an object into the victim's rectum. During the investigation, the victim claimed this did not happen. The suspect and witnesses confirmed the victim's statement but indicated that the suspect had been harassing the victim. The victim's parents declined prosecution.</i>				
Date:	01/23/2026	Time:	7:52 AM	Classification:	UNLAWFUL USE OF WEAPON - SUBSECTION 4 - EXHIBITING
Location:	2100 Block HUBERT REDBURN	Report Number	2026-0124	Officer:	5104
Synopsis:	<i>On January 23, 2026 I responded to the 2100 block of Hubert Redburn in West Plains, Missouri, 65775 for a report of a disturbance involving a firearm. A report was completed for documentation purposes after the matter was thoroughly investigated by responding law enforcement personnel.</i>				
Date:	01/23/2026	Time:	8:33 AM	Classification:	*DEATH INVESTIGATION
Location:	300 Block WALNUT	Report Number	2026-0125	Officer:	571
Synopsis:	<i>On 01/23/2026 I responded to the 300 block of Walnut referencing a well-being-check. Upon arrival an 83 years of age female was found to be deceased from natural causes. This matter will be closed and any further inquiries can be made through the Howell County Coroner's Office.</i>				
Date:	01/23/2026	Time:	7:41 PM	Classification:	*DOMESTIC ASSAULT IN THE FOURTH DEGREE
Location:	1100 Block STONEY	Report Number	2026-0126	Officer:	5238
Synopsis:	<i>On January 23rd, 2026, I was dispatched to the 1000 block of Stoney in West Plains, Howell County, Missouri, for a report of an assault. Upon arriving on the scene, officers interviewed both the victim and suspect. No one involved was injured, and no one wished to pursue any charges. This case will be closed.</i>				
Date:	01/23/2026	Time:	10:26 PM	Classification:	*DOMESTIC ASSAULT IN THE FOURTH DEGREE
Location:	1400 Block 7TH	Report Number	2026-0127	Officer:	5120
Synopsis:	<i>On January 24, 2026, officers responded to the 1400 block of 7th Street for a reported physical domestic in progress. All parties separated and no injuries occurred and the victim did not wish to seek charges.</i>				
Date:	01/24/2026	Time:	1:39 AM	Classification:	*FTA / WARRANT
Location:	1400 Block GIBSON	Report Number	2026-0128	Officer:	5234
Synopsis:	<i>On January 24, 2025 at approximately 0139 hours, officers contacted a subject with an active arrest warrant out of another agency. The warrant was confirmed through West Plains PD dispatch. The subject was then placed</i>				

under arrest and transported to the Howell County Sheriff's Office, where he was released to the jail staff and booked and processed on his warrant.

Date: **01/24/2026** Time: **10:51 PM** Classification: ***DRIVING WHILE INTOXICATED OR UNDER THE INFLUENCE**

Location: **800 Block MAIN** Report Number **2026-0131** Officer: **5110**

Synopsis: ***On January 24, 2025, officers were dispatched to the 800 block of E. Main Street, West Plains, Missouri, in reference to a reported private property collision. After an investigation it was discovered that a female subject that was under the influence of alcohol struck a parked vehicle. The female subject was later identified and taken into custody. This case is being referred to the West Plains Municipal Prosecutors office for review.***

