

City of Gulfport

News Release



Police Department PIO

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Chief Alan Weatherford today announced that:

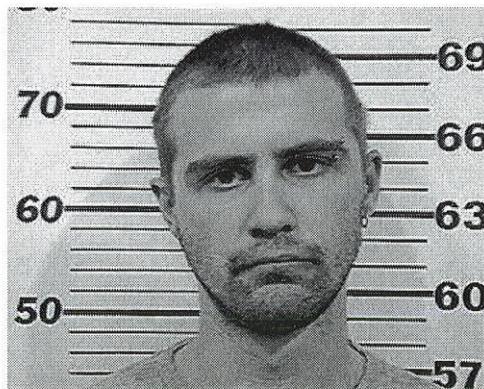
Case # : 10-003044

On January 27, 2010, the Gulfport Police Department arrested 26 year old Jonathan Lee Woods of Biloxi and charged him with Public Display of Sexually Oriented Materials.

On January 25, 2010, at approximately 3:33 p.m. officers responded to the Mississippi Gulf Coast Community College located at 2226 Switzer Road for a report of suspicious activity. Upon arrival it was learned that a white male who was captured on video surveillance arrived in a white Ford Econoline van entered the restroom in the daycare. Upon the suspect leaving the restroom a sexually explicit photograph of his genitalia was discovered inside the restroom.

On January 27, 2010, Woods was located by Campus security. During the course of the investigation by the Gulfport Police Department Woods was positively identified as the suspect captured on video surveillance.

Upon review of the underlying facts and circumstances with Municipal Court Judge Fant Walker a warrant was issued for his arrest. Woods was then transported to the Harrison County Adult Detention Facility in lieu of bond.



Approved for release by: _____

Date: January 27, 2010

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