

# Sheriff



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## DOMESTIC VIOLENCE SUSPECT IN CUSTODY



A domestic violence suspect who was the subject of an overnight search by the Okaloosa County Sheriff's Office is now in custody. 34-year old Aaron Wanless was located around 9:15 at his home on Kepner Drive in Fort Walton Beach. Deputies had been looking for Wanless following an armed disturbance around 7:30 Wednesday evening at 27 Yacht Club Drive. They had responded to reports of a man threatening a family member with knives. When they got on scene, the individual, later identified as Wanless, came out and fired a weapon at the deputies before fleeing on foot. The OCSO set up a perimeter and brought in a K9 to try to track him. This morning he was located outside his home and taken into custody without incident. Wanless faces charges of aggravated assault and assault on a law enforcement officer.

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IN THE CIRCUIT/COUNTY COURT IN THE FIRST JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR OKALOOSA COUNTY, FLORIDA

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OKALOOSA CO SHERIFF'S OFFICE

REPORT NO: OCSO15ARR003413

Jail Booking No	Offense No OCSO15OFF004277	Other No OCSO15CAD062385	OBTS 4601102340
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[ SUSPECT ]

Last First Middle Title Race Sex DOB Age Hgt Wgt  
 WANLESS AARON BEAL W M 4/17/1980 34 5'08" 180  
Eyes Hair MNI Number SSN LD No St Type OCA/Agency ID  
 BRO BRO OCSO03MNI015761 [REDACTED] FL

Birth Location: City: LYNCHBURG County: State: VA Nation: UNITED STATES Citizenship: Address

343 NE KEPNER DR FORT WALTON BEACH FL 32548

Occupations (Current/Last Known is Listed First)

Business: UNEMPLOYED, Job Title: LABOR, Entered: 4/9/2015

Aliases (Last, First Middle Title DOB)

\* none found in MNI \*

Street Names

\* none found in MNI \*

[ INCIDENT INFORMATION ]

Occurred Date Range: 4/8/2015 21:24 to 4/8/2015 21:24 Lat / Long 30.42343 / -86.61117  
 No. Di Street Apt/Lot City ST Zip (GEO)  
 27 NE YACHT CLUB DR FORT WALTON BEAC FL 32548 2 - 20 - -

[ CHARGES ]

784.021.1a

Domestic Violence Related

AGGRAV ASSLT - WEAPON

W DEADLY WEAPON WITHOUT INTENT TO KILL

<u>Counts</u>	<u>Level</u>	<u>Degree</u>	<u>GOC</u>	<u>UCR</u>	<u>NCIC</u>	<u>AON</u>	<u>Bond Amount</u>
1	Felony	Third	Principal	130A		1315	

784.07.2c

ASSAULT

ON OFFICER FIREFIGHTER EMT ETC

<u>Counts</u>	<u>Level</u>	<u>Degree</u>	<u>GOC</u>	<u>UCR</u>	<u>NCIC</u>	<u>AON</u>	<u>Bond Amount</u>
1	Felony	Second	Principal	130A		1311	

[ STATEMENT OF PROBABLE CAUSE / NARRATIVE ]

On 08 April 2015 at approximately 2124 hours at 27 North East Yacht Club Drive, Fort Walton Beach Florida, the defendant Aaron B. Wanless did commit the offenses of Aggravated Assault (Domestic Violence) and Aggravated Assault on a Law Enforcement Officer, to wit:

On the above date and time the defendant was in a verbal argument his father, David G. Wanless, over the whereabouts of a gun. The defendant threatened to cut the throats of David's two cats and then come back and do the same to David. The defendant retrieved 4 knives from the kitchen and came within in two feet of David, held them with the points towards David and held them in threatening manner. David retreated to the front yard in fear for his life.

Upon arrival of Law Enforcement, the defendant come out of the house and intentionally discharged a 9mm semi-automatic handgun in the direction of three Okaloosa County Sheriff's Deputies from approximately 20 yards away while they were performing an official investigation. This act instilled fear of bodily harm in all three Deputies. All three Deputies ran for cover and gave verbal commands for the defendant to drop the weapon. He refused to put down the weapon and fled on foot.

Your affiant herby requests a warrant be issued for Aaron B. Wanless for the charge of Aggravated Assault (Domestic

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Violence) pursuant to F.S.S. 784.021.1a and three counts of Assault on a Law Enforcement Officer pursuant to F.S.S. 784.07.2c. This offense did occur in Okaloosa County Florida, where your affiant is a sworn law enforcement officer.

Signature (Arresting Officer) \_\_\_\_\_ **HARRISON, MATTHEW L** **042**  
Name ID/SSN

Subscribed and sworn to (or affirmed) before me this 9 day of April A.D., 2015 by \_\_\_\_\_  
who is personally known to me or has produced \_\_\_\_\_ as identification.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Notary Public \_\_\_\_\_ LEO \_\_\_\_\_ CO

Commission No: \_\_\_\_\_ My Commission Expires \_\_\_\_\_

Supervisor Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_ Supervisor Name ( Please Print ) \_\_\_\_\_ Rank \_\_\_\_\_

[ PHYSICAL EVIDENCE ] [NO PHYSICAL EVIDENCE LISTED]

[ ARREST INFORMATION ]

Arrested	Residency	Injured	Extent of Injury	Resist				
4/9/2015 09:52	Within jurisdiction	None	N/A	No				
	Arrested Prior	Arrest Jurisdiction	Alcohol	Drugs				
	Yes	Within jurisdiction	Unknown	Unknown				
No.	Di	Street	A/L	City	ST	Zip	Lat / Long	
343	NE	KEPNER DR		FORT WALTON BEAC	FL	32548	30.413318 / -86.594585	
Arresting Officer			Unit	(GEO)	2 - 19 - -		Officer Type	
042	HARRISON, MATTHEW L		OCSO/ADMINSERV/COURTSEC/DETENTION					
Reporting Officer			Unit				Original Offense Jurisdiction	
290	SNIDER, ROBERT ALLEN		OCSO/				OCSO	
Forward to for approval								
OCSO/FSV/SOUTH/BD/B-SHIFT								

Bond Set by LEO at Time of Arrest & Booking: \$0.00

- None
- ROR
- Cash
- Pro

Bond Set by Judge  None  ROR/Sign  
 Cash  PTR  
 Any  
 Pro  
 PtIQ

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Return Court: CIRCUIT COURT: FELONY Date: 5/19/2015 Time: 15:30

Instructions: OKALOOSA COUNTY COURTHOUSE ANNEX EXTENTION

[ COURT INFORMATION ]

Court Judge Date
Sent
Rcvd CIRCUIT POLSON 4/9/2015
Court Case Number 154277

Assigned To:

[ DISPOSITION ]

Disposition Type Release Type Other Desc
Release Date Release Time Release Officer Printed Printed By
No
Released To

Court DispositionType Court Disposition Description

[ ADDITIONAL PERSONS ]

COURT DISPOSITION:
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- No Bill / Petition Issue Warrant Prosecution Approved

Signature of Assistant State Attorney Date

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