

# Toy Firearm

## From Front

including public intoxication, resisting arrest, disorderly conduct in the second degree, and menacing.

According to the uniform citation issued by Officer Smith, badge number 708, police were dispatched to a residence in Herring Heights after receiving reports of a female subject "stumbling around outside and waiving a firearm," causing alarm among neighbors. A witness alleged that Conner was pointing the weapon in all directions while speaking to herself and appeared "very fearful."

The officer noted prior knowledge of previous calls to the same residence during a

night shift, where Conner had reportedly been "screaming obscenities and saying she was going to kill people."

Upon arrival at approximately 3:19 p.m., the officer observed Conner seated in front of a vehicle with what appeared to be a pistol in her hand. The officer announced their presence and instructed her to drop the firearm. Conner initially complied but then retrieved the weapon and began waving it again. Despite repeated commands to disarm, she refused and reportedly stated, "I will not put the gun down."

Given her noncompliance and erratic behavior, a taser was deployed. The report describes her speech as slurred and her demeanor as appearing to be under the influence of an intoxicating

substance. EMS was contacted following the arrest to check Conner's vital signs and remove the taser probes. The firearm in question was later identified as a "very realistic metal bb pistol."

The incident occurred at 127 Herring Heights, Lancaster, within Garrard County. Conner was processed and charged under four Kentucky Revised Statutes violations: Public intoxication (excluding alcohol), Resisting arrest, Disorderly conduct, 2nd degree, and Menacing.

Due to the nature of the charges and the safety concerns involved, the citation was marked as not prepayable, requiring a court appearance. Conner is scheduled to appear in Garrard County court.

## Unlawful Imprisonment From Front

Sheriff's Department, the incident occurred at a residence on Oak Drive in Lancaster.

The suspect, identified as 44-year-old Iariza Caban, was charged with two offenses: violation of a Kentucky EPO/DVO and unlawful imprisonment in the second degree. The arrest citation, filed by Deputy Parsons, outlines that deputies arrived at the location at approximately 2:15 p.m. in an attempt to serve an emergency protective order. Caban reportedly refused to answer the door and did not allow another woman or her child to

respond from inside the residence.

After initially leaving the property, deputies returned and made contact with an occupant, who stated that Caban was inside the bedroom. The report indicates that when deputies attempted to access the room, the door was locked. Upon announcing himself as a sheriff's deputy and warning that the door would be forced open if not unlocked, Parsons stated that the door was pushed further closed from within. He then forcibly entered the room and took Caban into custody.

The citation does not specify whether Caban resisted arrest or

if any injuries occurred during the incident. It does note that the arrest was made at 2:36 p.m., about 20 minutes after deputies first arrived.

Court records indicate that the charges are not eligible for prepayment, and Caban is scheduled to appear in Garrard District Court. The case is being processed under control number FD8443 and citation number 0400000. No bond information was provided in the document.

The investigation remains ongoing, and further court proceedings will determine the legal outcome of the charges filed against Caban.

## Fleeing From Front

ilton Avenue and faces a series of charges including first-degree fleeing or evading police, bail jumping, and multiple counts of failure to appear in court.

According to the official citation documents, the initial incident began around 4:15 p.m. when officers responded to a disturbance on Hamilton Avenue. Upon arrival, officers spoke with a resident who reported that another woman had fled the scene. Officers identified the individual as Whitaker. When approached by an officer, she reportedly turned and ran, prompting a brief foot pursuit. She was eventually apprehended, and her identity was confirmed through the National Crime Information Center (NCIC), which revealed

multiple active warrants.

Whitaker was charged on the scene with fleeing or evading police in the first degree (on foot). The citation notes she was informed of her Miranda Rights but declined to speak with officers. She was transported to the Jessamine County Detention Center for holding.

Further investigation revealed five separate outstanding warrants from Boyle and Jessamine counties. These include:

- Three separate failure to appear charges stemming from warrants issued by the Boyle County Circuit Court (case numbers 25-CR-00064, 25-CR-00065, and 25-CR-00083). Each of these citations specifies that the arresting officer had no direct knowledge of the cases involved.
- An additional failure to appear warrant issued by the Jessamine County District Court

## Drugs From Front

stop after observing a Chevrolet Cobalt with a headlight out pulling into the gas station around 2:30 a.m. While stationary at the scene, the deputy deployed a K9 unit, which alerted on the passenger-side door of the vehicle, indicating the possible presence of narcotics.

The vehicle was occupied by Joseph McElfresh, 38, and Nona Hutchison, 32, both listed as residents of 230 N Church Street in Cynthiana. During a subsequent search, Deputy Murphy discovered a clear baggie containing six and a half white pills labeled

"178." Through investigation, the pills were identified as Gabapentin, a prescription medication. A second item—foil containing an unknown powdery substance—was also recovered. Both the baggie and foil were reportedly located on the female passenger, though both suspects claimed joint ownership.

The powdery substance was suspected to be heroin, and both individuals were charged with Possession of a Controlled Substance 1st Degree, 1st Offense (Heroin) and Possession of a Prescription Controlled Substance Not Properly Contained, 1st Offense.

The citations indicate that both McElfresh and Hutchison

were read their Miranda rights at the scene. They were subsequently transported to the Jessamine County Detention Center for booking.

The charges are classified as non-payable, and court proceedings are scheduled to take place in Garrard County. As of the time of arrest, both suspects were listed as single, non-Hispanic, white, and Kentucky residents. No additional information about prior offenses or bail status was provided in the citation documents.

This case remains under the jurisdiction of the Garrard County Court system, with further legal proceedings expected.

## Courthouse News Continued From A - 4

on suspended/revoked operators license;(2) failure to produce insurance card; (3) no/expired KY registration receipt. Dismissed with leave to reinstate.

Sahit Rodriguez, violation of Kentucky Emergency Protection Order / Domestic Violence Order. Continue to May 28, 2026 at 1 p.m. To dismiss if no violent contact.

Daniel Kyle Ronnebaum, (1) commercial drivers license - employer permit unqualified; (2) escaping contents, shifting/spilling loads. Dismissed as warning.

Chancy Silcox, (1) operating on suspended/revoked/operators license - plea of guilty \$250 fine and 90 days probated for 2 years on condition of no other offenses; (2) speeding 15 mph over the speed limit - dismissed. To pay by January 14, 2027.

Robert Smith, violation of Kentucky Emergency Protection Order / Domestic Violence Order. Continue to January 8, 2026 at 1 p.m.

Jacob Sparks, (1) failure to produce insurance card - dismissed on proof; (2) vehicle a nuisance, noisy, etc. - plea of guilty - \$25 fine and costs. To pay by January 14, 2027.

Ruth Ann Staton, (1) no operator/moped license - amended to no li-

censes in possession - plea of guilty - \$25 fine and costs; (2) instructional permit violations - dismissed with leave to reinstate; (3) failure to wear seatbelts. Plea of guilty - \$25 fine. To pay by January 14, 2027.

Amy Thomas, operating on suspended/revoked operators license. Plea of guilty - \$100 fine and costs. To pay by January 14, 2027.

James Woods, (1) no/expired KY registration receipts; (2) no/expired registration plates; (3A) operating a motor vehicle under the influence of alcohol/substance - 1st; (4) possession of marijuana. Continue to January 22, 2026 at 1 p.m.

Stevie Lewis Berry, (1) trafficking in a controlled substance, 2nd degree, 2nd or > (>=10 D.U. scheduled 1 & 2nd non-narcotics); (2) persistent felony offender - 2nd degree. Plea of not guilty - Public Defender appointed. Preliminary Hearing on December 15, 2025 at 10 a.m.

Joshua T. Evans, (1) no/expired registration plates;(2) no/expired KY registration receipt; (3) operating on suspended/revoked operators license;(4) license to be in possession; (5) rear license not illuminated; (6) failure of owner to maintain required insurance/security 1st; (7) failure to produce insurance card. Continue to January 22, 2026 at 1 p.m.

rison was initially detained by a Kentucky State Trooper. Further investigation led officers to determine that the vehicle had been reported stolen from Clay County. When questioned, Harrison reportedly admitted to stealing the vehicle.

As a result, Harrison was arrested without incident and charged with one count of receiving stolen property valued between \$1,000 and \$10,000, in violation of Kentucky Revised Statute 514.110(3)(B). The arrest was officially logged at 10:07 p.m. the same evening in Kirksville, and Harrison was subsequently transported for processing.

Steven Wayne Harrison, receiving stolen property \$1,000 < \$10,000. Plea of not guilty - Public Defender appointed. Preliminary Hearing on December 15, 2025 at 10 a.m.

Tyler Miller, (1) wanton endangerment - 1st degree - police officer; (2) fleeing or evading police, 1st degree (motor vehicle);(3) speeding 26 mph over/greater; (4) reckless driving. Plea of not guilty - Public Defender appointed. Preliminary Hearing on December 15, 2025 at 10 a.m.

Levi Noble, (1A) operating on suspended/revoked operators license - plea of guilty - time served; (2) failure of owner to maintain required insurance/security 1st - dismissed with leave to reinstate; (3) excessive windshield/window tinting - dismissed with leave to reinstate; (4) obstructed vision and/or windshield - dismissed with leave to reinstate; (5) license plate to legible - dismissed with leave to reinstate; (6) failure to produce insurance card - plea of guilty - time served. Failed to appear - dismissed.

Jessica R. Whitaker, fleeing or evading police, 1st degree (on foot). Plea of not guilty, Public Defender appointed. Preliminary Hearing on December 15, 2025 at 10 a.m.

## Stolen Vehicle From Front

County Sheriff's Department, the incident began at approximately 8:41 p.m. when law enforcement received a complaint about a running vehicle found unattended in the middle of the road near mile marker 11.0 SE on a roadway in Kirksville. Upon arrival at the scene, officers located the vehicle and shortly thereafter encountered the suspect, Harrison, approximately half a mile away walking along the road.

The citation, issued by Officer Sizemore, J., states that Har-

Harrison, a 54-year-old Lexington resident, is scheduled to appear in Garrard District Court. The charge is marked as "Not Prepayable," indicating that a court appearance is mandatory. No information regarding legal representation or bond has been provided at this time.

According to the citation, evidence related to the case has been held, and video documentation is also available. No additional charges or witness information was listed on the citation.

The investigation into the matter remains ongoing.

**Garrard Central Record**  
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**LEGAL NOTICE**

**COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY GARRARD DISTRICT COURT PROBATE NO. 25-P-000144 NOTICE TO CREDITORS**

**IN RE: ESTATE OF JOSHUA BRADY AUSTIN DECEASED**

Notice is hereby given that by order of the Garrard District Court, Lancaster, Kentucky in probate number 25-P-00144 dated December 11, 2025, Bethany Cole was appointed Administratrix of the estate of Joshua Brady Austin.

All claims against the estate of Joshua Brady Austin, deceased, must be presented to Bethany Cole, 74 Rachel Way, Lancaster, KY 40444, Administratrix of the Estate of Joshua Brady Austin or to the attorney Emmett Daniel Clifford, 113 North Main Street, Ste #1, Cynthiana, KY 41031 within 6 months after December 11, 2025.

/s/Dana Hensley, Circuit Clerk  
Garrard District Court  
Garrard Justice Center  
54 Stanford Street  
Lancaster, KY 40444 (12-18-1tc)

**COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY GARRARD DISTRICT COURT PROBATE NO. 25-P-000151 NOTICE TO CREDITORS**

**IN RE: ESTATE OF RONALD GEAN WARDRIP DECEASED**

Notice is hereby given that by order of the Garrard District Court, Lancaster, Kentucky in probate number 25-P-00151 dated December 16, 2025, Spencer Wardrip - Isaacs was appointed Administrator of the estate of Ronald Gean Wardrip.

All claims against the estate of Ronald Gean Wardrip, deceased, must be presented to Spencer Wardrip - Isaacs, 4899 Lexington Road, Lancaster, KY 40444, Administrator of the Estate of Ronald Gean Wardrip or to the attorney Kory Isaacs, 218 W. Main Street, Richmond, KY 40475 within 6 months after December 16, 2025.

/s/Dana Hensley, Circuit Clerk  
Garrard District Court  
Garrard Justice Center  
54 Stanford Street  
Lancaster, KY 40444 (12-18-1tc)

**COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY GARRARD DISTRICT COURT PROBATE NO. 25-P-000154 NOTICE TO CREDITORS**

**IN RE: ESTATE OF ELIZABETH MOORE DECEASED**

Notice is hereby given that by order of the Garrard District Court, Lancaster, Kentucky in probate number 25-P-00154 dated December 15, 2025, Brent Moore was appointed Administrator of the estate of Elizabeth Moore.

**COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY GARRARD DISTRICT COURT PROBATE NO. 25-P-000154 NOTICE TO CREDITORS**

**IN RE: ESTATE OF ELIZABETH MOORE DECEASED**

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**POSTED**

We positively will not permit fixed hunting of any character, fishing, dogs or trespassing on our farms. Any violations will be prosecuted. \$2.00 per week or \$51 per year for posted list.

• Michael & Dana Carrier, 2539 Kelly Ridge Road	5-26
• Danny & Judy Browning's property at end of Conn's Lane	10-26
• Carolyn Sparks property at 5252 Lexington Road	7-26
• Paul Black Farms, Hwy. 1355 (Sugar Creek Road)	10-26
• Paul And Suzanne Wells at 4129 White Lick Road, Paint Lick	10-26
• Tammy Fowler, 749 Nina Ridge Road	10-25
• Mike and Pam Fathergill, 111 Lynnwood Drive	6-26
• Chris and Joy Fathergill, 317 Richmond Street	6-26
• Mary Alice (Paul) Drew, 810 Carry Nation Road Property	6-26
• Kathy Tuggle & Paula Tudor - Jim Clark Road	11-26
• David M. and Rose Walker, 1163 Wolf Trail Road	2-26
• The Kenton Property, 795 and 719 C Valley Drive, Berea	7-26
• Grover Drew Farm, Carry Nation Road	3-26
• Doug and Anna Graves, 319 Richmond Road, Loop 2	8-26
• The Brenda Farms, 4870 Harmon's Lick Road & Hamilton Valley Road	10-26
• Vockery property on Polly's Bend Road	10-26
• Noah Wagoner and Kelsey Perkins, 10997 Buckeye Road	11-25
• Mary and George Watkins Property at 2961 Gabbard Road	11-25
• Hugh and Amy Johnson, 6198 Lexington Road	6-26
• Dale Marie Hellard - Barbara French & William Randall Causey Farms at 2178 Hamilton Valley Road, 2636 Hamilton Valley Road And 1454 Hamilton Valley Road	8-26
• Frank and Altheia Rice, 390 Leavell Ridge Road, 372 Leavell Ridge Road and Rice Farm at Three Forks, all of Lancaster, KY	10-26

Rates For Posted List - \$2 Per Week, First Property \$51 Per Year - \$10 Each Additional Property

# MASTER COMMISSIONER'S SALE FRIDAY, DECEMBER 19, 2025 AT 10 A.M. GARRARD COUNTY JUSTICE CENTER 54 STANFORD STREET

In order to comply with judgments and orders of the Garrard Circuit Court, the Master Commissioner of the Garrard Circuit Court will sell the properties identified below in the Garrard County Justice Center, District Courtroom, 54 Stanford Street, Lancaster, Kentucky. The properties will be sold to raise funds to satisfy the amounts of judgments set forth below plus interest and other costs. The sale of said properties are subject to the following terms and conditions:

The winning bidder must pay a minimum of ten (10%) percent of the purchase price by check drawn on a recognizable bank (preferably local) at the time of sale. The balance of the purchase price is due in 30 days. **If the purchaser elects to pay less than the full purchase price, then the purchaser will be required to post bond and furnish acceptable surety thereon.** Said bond shall be for the unpaid balance of the purchase price and bear interest at the rate set forth in the judgment from the date of sale until paid.

The purchaser is responsible for all taxes levied against said property for the current tax year and all subsequent years. The sale of the real estate is subject to all zoning and building regulations, restrictions, ordinances, easements, covenants, and rights-of-way, of record, or otherwise. All properties are sold "as is", and possession shall pass to the purchaser upon delivery of deed. Risk of loss passes to the purchaser upon execution of bond of sale or payment of the purchase price whichever should occur first.

A right of redemption may exist in favor of any party.

Possession of the real property will be given to the purchaser upon confirmation of the report of sale by the Garrard Circuit Court, delivery of a Commissioner's Deed to the purchaser and full payment of the purchase price plus interest as herein before described.

**IF WINNING BIDDER IS NOT ABLE TO DELIVER DEPOSIT AND SIGN BOND WITH SURETY IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING SALE, PROPERTY WILL BE IMMEDIATELY RE-SOLD.**

**PROPERTIES ARE IDENTIFIED HEREIN BY PARCEL/MAP ID AND ADDRESS ONLY. COMPLETE LEGAL DESCRIPTIONS ARE FOUND IN THE COURT FILE. IF THE MAP/ID ADDRESS IS DIFFERENT IN ANY WAY FROM THE LEGAL DESCRIPTION, THE LEGAL DESCRIPTION CONTROLS.**

Johnny O. Bolton, Master Commissioner  
Garrard Circuit Court  
(859) 792-8844

### PROPERTY TO BE SOLD:

#### SALE NO. 1:

Case No: **24-CI-00282: BLUEGRASS TAX SERVICES INC. vs DEEDRA SHATZER, ET AL.;** Judgment Date: **October 31, 2025;** Judgment Amount: **\$6,460.69;** Property Address/Description: **12771 Buckeye Road;** Parcel ID: **38-05.1**

#### SALE NO. 2:

Case No: **24-CI-00287: BLUEGRASS TAX SERVICES INC. vs DAS PROPERTIES, LLC; JAMES W. CHATFIELD, II; ET AL.;** Judgment Date: **October 3, 2025;** Judgment Amount: **\$5,713.58;** Property Address/Description: **8741 Buckeye Road;** Parcel ID: **40-64**