

PRESS RELEASE

Drug and Alcohol Charges Prevail at Grand Jury Session

Criminal District Attorney Richard Glaser reports that on Thursday, September 22, 2016, the Grand Jury met to review forty-eight (48) cases presented for their consideration. The Grand Jury returned forty-eight (48) true bills or indictments listed below. Drug and alcohol charges accounted for many of the new felony charges filed. The Fannin County Grand Jury has returned 325 true bills of indictment so far in 2016.

It is important to note that an indictment is a formal charge and should not be considered as evidence of guilt and that all persons charged with a crime are presumed innocent until proven guilty beyond a reasonable doubt.

The following people were indicted for the criminal offense and range of punishment indicated:

NAME and RESIDENCE	AGE	OFFENSE/DATE	RANGE OF PUNISHMENT
ALLEN, SCOTT BROWNING BONHAM, TX 75418	33	Man Del CS PG 1 <1G 04/06/2016	State Jail Felony 180 Days - 2 Years + \$10,000 Fine
ANDERSON, NATHEN EUGENE LEONARD, TX 75452	37	Assault Family/House Member Impede Breath/Circulation 06/02/2016	Third Degree Felony 2 Years - 10 Years + \$10,000 Fine
ARNOLD, TIFFANY CYNTHIA WHITEWRIGHT, TX 75491	39	Theft of Property >=\$2,500<\$30,000 05/31/2016	State Jail Felony 2 Years - 10 Years + \$10,000 Fine
BARZEE, THERESA SHELLEY LEONARD, TX 75452	39	Man Del CS PG 1 <1G 07/07/2016	State Jail Felony 180 Days - 2 Years + \$10,000 Fine
BENNETT, TYLER TRAVON BONHAM, TX 75418	19	Prohibited Substance Correctional Facility – Alcohol/Drug/Phone/Tobacco 07/12/2016	Third Degree Felony 2 Years - 10 Years + \$10,000 Fine
BULLOCK, THOMAS DAKOTA BONHAM, TX 75418	25	Evading Arrest Detention w/ Vehicle 06/15/2016	Third Degree Felony 2 Years - 10 Years + \$10,000 Fine
BULLOCK, THOMAS DAKOTA BONHAM, TX 75418	25	Possession CS PG 1 <1G 06/15/2016	State Jail Felony 180 Days - 2 Years + \$10,000 Fine
BULLOCK, THOMAS DAKOTA BONHAM, TX 75418	25	Man Del CS PG 1 <1G Drug Free Zone 04/07/2016	Third Degree Felony 2 Years – 10 Years + \$10,000 Fine
BULLOCK, THOMAS DAKOTA BONHAM, TX 75418	25	Man Del CS PG 1 <1G Drug Free Zone 04/10/2016	Third Degree Felony 2 Years – 10 Years + \$10,000 Fine
CANNON, RUPERT LEE, JR. TELEPHONE, TX 75488	51	Aggravated Assault w/Deadly Weapon 07/15/2016	Second Degree Felony 2 Years – 20 Years + \$10,000 Fine
ESTRADA, KRISTI BONHAM, TX 75418	39	Man Del CS PG 1 <1G 04/06/2016	State Jail Felony 180 Days - 2 Years + \$10,000 Fine
FIELDS, JERAMIAH L. BONHAM, TX 75418	39	Aggravated Assault w/Deadly Weapon 08/17/2016	Second Degree Felony 2 Years - 20 Years + \$10,000 Fine
FIELDS, JERAMIAH L. BONHAM, TX 75418	39	Driving While Intoxicated w/Child Under 15 YOA 08/17/2016	State Jail Felony 180 Days - 2 Years + \$10,000 Fine
HAWTHORNE, WILLIAM GARLAND, TX 75040	62	Driving While Intoxicated 3rd More 07/02/2016	Third Degree Felony 2 Years - 10 Years + \$10,000 Fine
HUERTA-PADRON, IRAIS ALICIA TRENTON, TX 75490	24	Man Del CS PG 1 >=4G<200G 07/02/2016	First Degree Felony 5 - 99 Years or Life + \$10,000 Fine
HUFFHINES, THOMAS, JR. WOLFE CITY, TX 75496	51	Sex Offenders Duty to Register Life/Annually 03/23/2016	Third Degree Felony 2 Years - 10 Years + \$10,000 Fine
JARAMILLO-BENITEZ, JAVIER HONEY GROVE, TX 75446	21	Burglary of Habitation 07/20/2016	Second Degree Felony 2 Years - 20 Years + \$10,000 Fine

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JARAMILLO-BENITEZ, JAVIER HONEY GROVE, TX 75446	21	Possession CS PG 1 <1G 07/20/2016	State Jail Felony 180 Days - 2 Years + \$10,000 Fine
KEETON, JOHN REED BONHAM, TX 75418	44	Criminal Mischief >=\$2,500<\$30,000 03/23/2016	State Jail Felony 180 Days - 2 Years + \$10,000 Fine
KREITEL, JASON LANE DODD CITY, TX 75438	51	Man Del CS PG 1 <1G Drug Free Zone – Enhanced 04/06/2016	Third Degree Felony 2 Years – 20 Years + \$10,000 Fine
KREITEL, JASON LANE DODD CITY, TX 75438	51	Possession CS PG 1 <1G DFZ IAT 05/17/2016	Third Degree Felony 2 Years – 20 Years + \$10,000 Fine
LATCHAW, JONATHAN CRAIG LEONARD, TX 75452	31	Assault Family/House Member Impede Breath/Circulation 02/27/2016	Third Degree Felony 2 Years - 10 Years + \$10,000 Fine
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MCPHERSON, JAROLD GLENN, JR. BOGATA, TX 75417-5165	23	Aggravated Assault w/Deadly Weapon 04/26/2016	Second Degree Felony 2 Years - 20 Years + \$10,000 Fine
MCPHERSON, JAROLD GLENN, JR. BOGATA, TX 75417-5165	23	Deadly Conduct Discharge Firearm 04/26/2016	Third Degree Felony 2 Years - 10 Years + \$10,000 Fine
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MOON, JAMES HAROLD ANNA, TX 75409	53	Aggravated Assault Against Public Servant 07/05/2016	First Degree Felony 5 - 99 Years or Life + \$10,000 Fine
MOORMAN, DAVID SHANNON BONHAM, TX 75418	54	Possession CS PG 1 <1G 07/27/2016	State Jail Felony 180 Days - 2 Years + \$10,000 Fine
MORENO, FERNANDO ZUNIGA BONHAM, TX 75418	33	Aggravated Assault w/Deadly Weapon 06/25/2016	Second Degree Felony 2 Years - 20 Years + \$10,000 Fine
OCANAS, MICHAEL JIREH PARIS, TX 75460	19	Unauthorized Use of Vehicle 06/20/2016	State Jail Felony 180 Days - 2 Years + \$10,000 Fine
OCANAS, MICHAEL JIREH PARIS, TX 75460	19	Possession Marijuana >4oz<=5lbs 06/20/2016	State Jail Felony 180 Days - 2 Years + \$10,000 Fine
PENDLAND, MICHAEL LEN WINDOM, TX 75492	39	Theft Prop >=\$2,500<\$30,000 – Enhanced 05/31/2016	State Jail Felony 2 Years - 20 Years + \$10,000 Fine
PENDLAND, MICHAEL LEN WINDOM, TX 75492	39	Possession CS PG 1 <1G DFZ IAT – Enhanced 08/10/2016	Third Degree Felony 25 – 99 Years or Life
REYES, CHRISTOPHER ELLIS DALLAS, TX 75218	30	Possession CS PG 2 >=4G<400G 07/01/2016	Second Degree Felony 2 Years - 20 Years + \$10,000 Fine
RICHARDSON, JESICA CHRISTINE CROSS ROADS, TX 76227	44	Theft Property >=\$30,000<\$150,000 05/09/2016	Third Degree Felony 2 Years - 10 Years + \$10,000 Fine
SHRUM, CHAD WESTLEY BONHAM, TX 75418	41	Injury Child/Elderly/Disable w/Intent Bodily Injury 06/21/2016	Third Degree Felony 2 Years - 10 Years + \$10,000 Fine
STEWART, JERRY PAT LEONARD, TX 75452	25	Possession CS PG 1 <1G 06/19/2016	State Jail Felony 180 Days - 2 Years + \$10,000 Fine
STEWART, JERRY PAT LEONARD, TX 75452	25	Possession CS PG 2 <1G 06/19/2016	State Jail Felony 180 Days - 2 Years + \$10,000 Fine
WATTS, MICHAEL JOHN BONHAM, TX 75418	44	Man Del CS PG 1 <1G DFZ IAT – Enhanced 04/18/2016	Third Degree Felony 2 Years – 20 Years + \$10,000 Fine
WATTS, MICHAEL JOHN BONHAM, TX 75418	44	Man Del CS PG 1 >=4G<200G – Enhanced 05/17/2016	First Degree Felony 20 – 99 Years or Life + \$10,000 Fine
WATTS, MICHAEL JOHN BONHAM, TX 75418	44	Possession CS PG 1 <1G DFZ IAT – Enhanced 05/17/2016	Third Degree Felony 2 Years – 20 Years + \$10,000 Fine

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WATTS, MICHAEL JOHN BONHAM, TX 75418	44	Unlawful Possession Firearm by Felon – Enhanced 05/17/2016	Third Degree Felony 2 Years – 20 Years + \$10,000 Fine
WEST, JACQUELINE ELIZABETH LEONARD, TX 75452	29	Forgery Financial Instrument 12/15/2015	State Jail Felony 180 Days - 2 Years + \$10,000 Fine
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WHITE, LATOYA LUCINDA BONHAM, TX 75418	38	Man Del CS PG 1 <1G – Enhanced 04/21/2016	State Jail Felony 2 Years - 20 Years + \$10,000 Fine
WHITE, LATOYA LUCINDA BONHAM, TX 75418	38	Abandon Endanger Child Criminal Negligence – Enhanced 04/21/2016	State Jail Felony 2 Years - 20 Years + \$10,000 Fine
WHITE, LATOYA LUCINDA BONHAM, TX 75418	38	Man Del CS PG 1 <1G – Enhanced 05/14/2016	State Jail Felony 2 Years - 20 Years + \$10,000 Fine
WHITE, LATOYA LUCINDA BONHAM, TX 75418	38	Abandon Endanger Child Criminal Negligence – Enhanced 05/14/2016	State Jail Felony 2 Years - 20 Years + \$10,000 Fine

The law enforcement agencies filing cases were as follows:

AGENCY	TOTAL
Bonham Police Department	18 cases
Fannin County Sheriff's Office	16 cases
Leonard Police Department	8 cases
Criminal District Attorney's Office	3 cases
Savoy Police Department	2 cases
Department of Public Safety	1 case

The next regular Grand Jury meeting is scheduled to meet October 20, 2016, at 8:30 a.m.