



## Hernando County Sheriff's Office

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### Media Release

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**From:** Michael Terry  
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**Re:** ARRESTED – Absconded Sexual Offender – Stephen Edward Wynn – 2024-00222560

**Date:** August 12, 2024

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On 08-11-2024, absconded sexual offender Stephen Edward Wynn was apprehended by the U.S. Marshals Service, just outside of Atlanta, Ga.

Thank you for all of the assistance.

#### Original information

The Hernando County Sheriff's Office is seeking assistance from the public in locating an **Absconded Sexual Offender**.

NAME – **Stephen Edward Wynn**  
DOB – 06-07-1967  
Race – White  
Sex – Male  
Height – 5'8"  
Weight – 210  
Hair – Grey  
Eyes – Blue

Stephen Wynn is a registered Sex Offender who was arrested on 08-08-2024 for one count of **Failure to Comply with Sex Offender Reporting Requirements**. He was subsequently released on 08-10-2024.

On 08-11-2024, the Sheriff's Office was notified that Wynn had removed his ankle monitor and was believed to be absconding. Wynn reportedly left his Brooksville residence at approximately 4 p.m.

Wynn is driving a family member's 2014 gray Jeep Patriot bearing Florida tag/IZ93ES. Further investigation revealed Wynn went to the bank prior to absconding where he withdrew a large sum of cash.

Wynn was adjudicated guilty in 2019 in Stark County, N.D., for **Gross Sexual Imposition and Sexual Battery on Adult Victim with Aggravating Circumstances**. This conviction designated Wynn as a Sexual Offender in the state of Florida with registration requirements.

If you have information on this individual, please contact the Hernando County Sheriff's Office at 352-754-6830 or call 9-1-1.

If you would like to remain anonymous – Please call Hernando County Crime Stoppers at 1-866-990-TIPS (8477) or submit your tip via the internet at <http://www.hernandocountycrimestoppers.com> . You will remain anonymous and also be eligible for a reward up to \$5,000 cash!



**Stephen Wynn**