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## MEDIA RELEASE

From:	Denise Moloney Public Relations Manager, 352-797-3609
Re:	LOCATED - Missing Endangered Adult – Gary Zarcone – 2022-21394
Date:	July 19, 2022

Update

Deputies have located Mr. Zarcone. He is safe. Thanks for all assistance.

The Hernando County Sheriff's Office is requesting assistance from our media partners and the community in locating a **MISSING ENDANGERED ADULT**.

**Gary J. Zarcone** was last seen at approximately 5:15 p.m. today, as he walked away from his residence. Mr. Zarcone's residence is in the area of Kass Circle and Spring Hill Drive in Spring Hill.

Per family members, Mr. Zarcone typically walks eastbound on Spring Hill Drive (from Kass Circle) to the area of the Spring Hill Library, then back home. This afternoon, he failed to return home.

Mr. Zarcone is in the beginning stages of Alzheimer's disease.

**Gary J. Zarcone's** physical description is as follows: White Male Date of Birth – 01-14-1950

Height – 5'7" Weight – 165 Hair – Balding Eyes – Brown Other – Missing teeth Last seen wearing – Black t-shirt w/Tampa Bay Bucs logo and grey basketball shorts..

If you have seen Gary Zarcone, or know his current whereabouts, please call 9-1-1 or the Hernando County Sheriff's Office at 352-754-6830. If outside Hernando County, please contact your local law enforcement agency.

Thank you.



Gary Zarcone PHOTO IS FOUR YEARS OLD

The Office of Sheriff:

The Office of the Sheriff is established by the Florida Constitution. As a constitutional officer, the Sheriff has the exclusive authority to administer his or her agency and is responsible for preserving the peace throughout the entire county, carrying out the laws of the state, the orders of Florida courts, and the ordinances of the Board of County Commissioners. The Sheriff is the chief law enforcement and correctional officer of the county.

Sheriff Al Nienhuis was initially appointed as the Sheriff of Hernando County by the Governor in January of 2011. He was then elected by the people of Hernando County in 2012, ran unopposed in 2016, and was re-elected in 2020. Sheriff Nienhuis remains accountable to the people of Hernando County.