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Media Release

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Re: Sex Offender Arrested for Failure to Adhere to Reporting Requirements –
2024-00166931

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The Hernando County Sheriff's Office (HCSO) arrested a sex offender for failure to comply with Sex Offender Reporting Requirements.

Michael Shawn Sherman, DOB/03-16-1972, was arrested on one count of Failure to Comply with Sex Offender Reporting Requirements.

Sherman was adjudicated guilty in 1996 in Collier County, Florida for Sexual Battery by Adult, Victim under 12 years of age. This conviction designated Sherman as a Sexual Predator in the state of Florida with registration requirements.

Information was received that Sex Offender Sherman had a trailer on his property that had not been reported as required as a result of his sex offender status. Sherman also failed to report he had sold his motorcycle within 48 hours as required as a result of his sex offender status.

On 05-29-2024, Detective G. Marcacci made contact with Smith at his residence located at 8030 Indian Trail Road in Brooksville during the execution of a Vice & Narcotics Search Warrant. Sherman was arrested without incident and transported to the Hernando County Detention Center where he is being held without bond.

Hernando County Crime Stoppers / Anonymous Tips

If you have information on this case, please contact Hernando County Crime Stoppers. You will remain anonymous!

Hernando County Crime Stoppers can be reached by phone at 1-866-990-TIPS (8477) or **TIPS from a cell phone.

You may also 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!