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Online Operation Nets 26 Arrests

ABILENE, TX – A multi-day online operation by the Abilene Police Department Cyber Crimes, Texas Department of Public Safety, Department of Homeland Security, and the Sweetwater Police Department has ended in the arrest of 26 suspects. The charges range from Online Solicitation of a Minor to Prostitution of a Minor. The age of the suspects range from 24 to 70 years-of-age and includes several Abilene males and some from out of the area.

Detectives used several social media applications to make contact with the individuals. The suspects then agreed to meet up with what they believed to be an underage juvenile. They were then taken into custody on the listed charges.



Bobby Wood (43 yoa) Prostitution Under 18
From Ovalo, TX



Jacob Monroe (42 yoa) Online Solicitation of Minor
From Abilene, TX



Felix Belona (28 yoa) Prostitution Under 18
From New Rhodes, LA



“You are the first line of defense against crime”



Larry Killian (53 yoa) Online Solicitation of Minor
From Abilene, TX



Gregory Baca (50 yoa) Online Solicitation of Minor
From Abilene, TX



Earnest Martinez Jr. (38 yoa) Prostitution Under 18
From Abilene, TX



Jonathan Parker (25 yoa) Online Solicitation of Minor
From Abilene, TX



George Fox (37 yoa) Prostitution Under 18
From Abilene, TX



Pablo Ramirez (44 yoa) Online Solicitation of Minor
From Jacksonville, TX



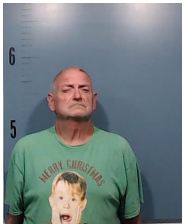
Ryan Knotts-Morrell (27 yoa) Online Solicitation of Minor
From Abilene, TX



Julius Knighten (37 yoa) Online Solicitation of Minor
From Abilene, TX



Austin Owens (32 yoa) Online Solicitation of Minor
From Abilene, TX



David Rogers (70 yoa) Online Solicitation of Minor
From Abilene, TX



Eduardo De Los Santos (35 yoa) Prostitution Under 18
From Abilene, TX



David Ward (49 yoa) Online Solicitation of Minor
From Abilene, TX



Victor Cooper (25 yoa) Prostitution Under 18
From Abilene, TX



Eric Watts (40 yoa) Online Solicitation of Minor
From Cisco, TX



Ronald Casillas (46 yoa) Online Solicitation of Minor
From Abilene, TX



Nathan Johnson (24 yoa) Prostitution Under 18
From Abilene, TX



Jason Edwards (33 yoa) Prostitution Under 18,
Tampering with Evidence
From Abilene, TX



Thomas Malone (45 yoa) Online Solicitation of Minor
From Ballinger, TX



Skyler Otto (25 yoa) Online Solicitation of Minor
From Baird, TX



Jose Rodriguez-Rios (42 yoa) Prostitution Under 18
From Abilene, TX



Alexander Wilson (31 yoa) Online Solicitation of Minor
From Abilene, TX



Kyle Hart (31 yoa) Prostitution Under 18
From Abilene, TX



Jammie Conway (32 yoa) Online Solicitation of Minor
From Merkel, TX