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**Chief Wayne M. Longo**

***Coeur d'Alene Police Department***  
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**Arrested for Burglary, Eluding and Possession of a controlled substance- Shane Patrick Amaral, 28 years of age of Coeur d'Alene.**

Coeur d'Alene Police Officers contacted male suspect Shane Amaral on November 28<sup>th</sup> 2012 at 10:14pm on a traffic stop in the 1100 block of Indiana Ave. The officer instructed Amaral to stay in his vehicle while he conducted a routine driver's license query. Amaral began acting suspicious by moving around in his vehicle. The officer told him to exit the vehicle and Amaral started the engine and drove away from the area. Officers followed Amaral with lights and siren in an attempt to get him to comply with the traffic stop. Amaral drove North on 13st St. with speeds of 35 miles per hour. He did not stop for area stop signs.

Approximately two minutes after the initial traffic stop Amaral drove to the north end of a cul-de-sac in the 800 block of at 22<sup>nd</sup> Place. Amaral exited his vehicle while it was still in motion. Officers observed the vehicle crash into a fence of a nearby yard. Amaral ran up a hill and jumped a fence to Interstate 90. Officers and Kootenai County Sheriff's Deputies pursued him on foot and a deputy located him in the 1300 block of E. Wallace Ave. Amaral was taken into custody, and treated at KMC for minor injuries he sustained from jumping the fence.

Officers located marijuana and paraphernalia in his possession. Officers saw several items of silver dishware and candlesticks in plain view in Amaral's vehicle. He admitted to them that he had just burglarized Cisco's Antique Store at 1147 Sherman Ave. He stated that he had planned to return to the store that evening and pick up other items he left near the back door.

Coeur d'Alene Police Detectives responded to Cisco's to investigate the burglary. Amaral has a past history of arrest for grand theft, reckless driving and probation violations. He was transported to the jail and booked in for burglary, eluding, and possession of a controlled substance.

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