



# SHERIFF KOOTENAI COUNTY



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## PRESS RELEASE

### **Post Falls Man Arrested For Aggravated Assault Involving A Vehicle**

On Wednesday, February 3, 2016, at about 9:00 PM, the Kootenai County Sheriff's Office responded to the 1700 Block of E. 16th Street, near Post Falls, for a reported injury vehicle accident. When they arrived, they discovered a 2002 Subaru Impreza, with heavy front end damage, abandoned off the north shoulder of E. 16th Street, and a 1988 Chevrolet Blazer, also with front end damage, abandoned off the south shoulder of the roadway, stuck in a wooden fence. There was also vehicle debris and other evidence of a collision on the roadway.

A short time later, a male, Justin W. Holloway, 26, of Post Falls, and a female, Kiana E. Snook, 19, of Post Falls, approached the scene and advised they had been the occupants of the Subaru and had been deliberately rammed, head on, by the Blazer. Investigation led deputies to believe the former boyfriend of Snook, Jacob M. Warren, 19, of Post Falls, had been driving the Blazer. An initial search of the area was unsuccessful in locating Warren. Supplemental information then led deputies to a nearby residence in the 1400 Block of E. 16th Street as a possible location for Warren. As deputies approached the house, a pickup left, westbound on E. 16th Street.

Believing Warren to be in the vehicle, coupled with the fact that Warren had an outstanding misdemeanor warrant for failing to appear for a Phone Harassment charge, deputies stopped the pickup at the intersection of 15th and Henry in Post Falls. Warren was confirmed as a passenger in the vehicle. After interviews, Warren was arrested for his warrant and the charge of Aggravated Assault, a felony. Another passenger in the vehicle was cited and released for possession of marijuana.

Snook and Holloway were transported to Kootenai Health where they were treated for non life threatening injuries.

Warren will make his first appearance in court on Thursday.

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