

PRESS RELEASE
KETCHIKAN POLICE DEPARTMENT
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On 1-20-12 at about 2142 hours, officers received a dispatched report of a loud verbal argument occurring at a Bawden Street residence. Officers arrived and contacted MICHAEL FURTADO, 47 years of age of Ketchikan Alaska. Upon investigation Mr. Furtado was arrested for Domestic Assault in the Fourth Degree and Unlawful Contact in the Second Degree. He was transported to the Ketchikan Correctional Center where he was held without bail.

On 1-21-12 at about 2149 hours, officers received a dispatched report of two males fighting between the Asylum Bar and the First City Saloon. Upon arriving officers contacted two male in a verbal argument. Both showed signs of extreme intoxication and were warned to not enter any licensed establishments for the remainder of the night. A short time later officer's saw one of the males, SIDNEY BROWNE, 33 year of age of Ketchikan Alaska, sitting in the Asylum Bar. He was arrested for Drunken Person on Licensed Premises. He was transported to the Ketchikan Correctional Center where he was set to be released on his own recognizance.

On 1-23-12 at about 1401 hours, officers were dispatched to Safeway for a report of a theft. Upon arriving officers contacted TRAVIS RICHARDS, 19 years of age of Ketchikan Alaska. Upon investigation it was found that Mr. Richards had taken \$21.56 worth of merchandise from the store without paying for it. He was arrested for Theft in the Fourth Degree and transported to the Ketchikan Correctional Center where he was set to be released on his own recognizance.

On 1-23-12 at about 2030 hours, officers conducted a traffic stop on a green Subaru on Stedman Street for a minor traffic violation. The driver, CEDRIC G. JAMES, 20 years of age of Ketchikan Alaska, was found to have a suspended driver's license. He was issued a misdemeanor citation for Driving While License Suspended.

*All charges reported in this media release are only accusations
All defendants are presumed innocent until proven guilty*

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