

Community Notification

Sex and Kidnapping Offender Registration Public Information

Secondary Dissemination of This Information is Controlled by RCW 4.24.550

Risk to re-offend: Level III - High Risk; Level II - Moderate Risk; Level I - Low Risk

Info Released by the
Cowlitz County Sheriff



Offender Information

DAVIS, COLE WAYNE

W M 508 145 BRO BLU Age 32

TRANSIENT ,

Address Date: 2/11/2011

Registration Information

3/4/2010 10-2681

Community Risk

Level III

06-25-02/CLARK COUNTY, WA

CHILD MOLEST 3rd



According to official documents 06/25/02 Cole Wayne Davis pled guilty in Clark County Superior Court to Child Molestation in the 3rd Degree. Mr. Davis 23yo had sexual contact with a known 14yo female. Mr. Cole fondled the victim's breasts and vaginal area and digitally penetrated the victim. In 2009 Mr. Davis pled guilty to Attempted Burglary in the 2nd Degree. Mr. Davis gave beer to a 15yo after entering the building and at one point fondled the victim's chest and buttocks. Mr. Davis has felony convictions for Failure to Register, Forgery, and Theft 2nd. He also has misdemeanor convictions for Theft 3rd, Assault 4th and Possession of Marijuana.

The Cowlitz County Sheriff's Office is releasing this information pursuant to RCW 4.24.550 and the Washington State Supreme Court decision State v. Ward, which authorizes law enforcement agencies to inform the public of a sex offender release when, at the discretion of the Agency and the Risk Assessment Committee, the information will enhance public safety and protection. The sex offender listed has served the sentence imposed by the courts and has advised the Cowlitz County Sheriff's Office of their address. This Registered Offender is not wanted at this time. This notification is not intended to increase fear; rather it is our belief that an informed public is a safer public. Law enforcement agencies have no legal authority to direct where a sex offender may or may not live. Unless court ordered restrictions exist, this offender is constitutionally free to live anywhere. Citizen abuse of this information to threaten or harass registered sex offenders will not be tolerated. Such abuse could potentially end law enforcement's ability to do community notifications. The Cowlitz County Sheriff's Office can provide useful information on personal safety. If you have information regarding current criminal activity of this or any other offender, please call our office at 360-577-3092. You can find additional information about registered sex offenders at the Sheriff's web site www.co.cowlitz.wa.us/sheriff/rso/

SOME SUGGESTIONS FOR SELF-PROTECTION:

1. You and your children should be continually aware of who is around you. If they are unfamiliar to you, don't put yourself in jeopardy.
2. Be aware of where your children are. Try to establish a time share child watching effort for children playing in the neighborhood.
3. Establish neighborhood safe havens for children as well as adults.
4. Urge your children to play in the area of other children, and caution them to not go anywhere with strangers.
5. Plan methods of escape, routes of escape and methods of self protection

More: www.co.cowlitz.wa.us/sheriff/rso/