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FLAGLER COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE

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MEDIA ADVISORY

Date: Wednesday, February 20, 2019

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Male Arrested for Sex Crimes Against Minor

Sean Patrick Farrelly, 47, of Palm Coast, was arrested and charged with two separate counts of Sexual Crimes against Minors, Contributing to the Delinquency of a Minor, and Possession of Marijuana by Flagler County Sheriff's Office Detectives on Tuesday evening.



Sean Patrick Farrelly at the time of his arrest.

After receiving a report of the sexual offenses on Monday, February 18, detectives with the Flagler County Sheriff's Office Major Case Unit met with the victim and family. Detectives were immediately able to corroborate portions of the victim's story.

With the assistance of the First Coast Child Protection Team, the Department of Children and Families, the victim, and the victim's family, detectives created a plan of action. Within several hours of utilizing several investigative methods, detectives were able to establish probable cause and arrested the suspect without incident at his residence.

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“Our detectives worked quickly but carefully to gather the evidence in this case and get this perpetrator in jail where he belongs,” Sheriff Rick Staly said. “If you prey and take advantage of our children we will work swiftly to put you in the Green Roof Inn where you belong.”

While searching the suspect prior to transporting him to the jail, detectives located marijuana in his pocket leading to the narcotics charge. Farrelly is being held in the Sheriff Perry Hall Inmate Detention Facility with No Bond.

Detectives and deputies are currently in the process of securing and executing several search warrants related to the crimes. The case is still considered ongoing and additional charges are possible.

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