



**Rick Staly, Sheriff**

# **FLAGLER COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE**

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## **NEWS RELEASE**

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### **Weekend Roundup January 12–15**

#### *Subject Leads Deputies on Chase through Palm Coast Neighborhoods, Fugitive Arrested After Traffic Stop*

**BUNNELL, FL** – Flagler County Sheriff’s Office (FCSO) deputies made 24 arrests during the long holiday weekend between 6 p.m. on Friday, January 12, 2024, and 6 a.m. on Tuesday, January 16, 2024. They handled 890 calls for service and made 200 traffic stops.

“While everyone enjoyed the long weekend, it was another busy one for our deputies,” said Sheriff Rick Staly. “Deputies did a great job capturing a repeat offender who tried to flee to get away from justice and another fugitive with an active warrant. If you are a fugitive or recently released and looking to cause trouble, you’d better stay out of Flagler County because we will get you and you will have a complementary room at the Green Roof Inn.”

#### **Palm Coast Man Faces Multiple Charges after Trying to Flee from Deputies**

On Monday, January 15, 2024, deputies responded to a domestic disturbance at a residence on Ballenger Lane in Palm Coast.

A little after 2 p.m., a caller contacted Flagler County Communications stating that Change King, 20, was causing a disturbance at their home and was refusing to leave. King was currently on probation following a narcotics arrest from last April. While deputies were enroute to the address, King left in a black Ford Fusion.

Deputy Schmidt spotted the vehicle at the intersection of Pine Lakes Parkway South and Belle Terre Parkway, and recognized the driver as King. Deputy Schmidt continued to follow a short distance behind while waiting for a back-up to arrive with no emergency lights activated until King accelerated quickly onto Bayside Drive, driving recklessly with speeds reaching 80 miles per hour in the residential neighborhood.

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King continued to speed and drive erratically, showing no regard for public safety while weaving in and out of lanes and running off the roadway, causing damage to his right passenger side bumper. Once he reached Belle Terre Parkway, he continued driving recklessly swerving in and out of traffic forcing numerous vehicles off the roadway.

In an attempt to stop the vehicle, Deputy Dorsey deployed stop sticks near Belle Terre Parkway and Buffalo Bill Drive. The stop sticks successfully deflated the rear passenger tire of King's vehicle, but King continued to flee driving across Matanzas Woods Parkway onto Lakeview Boulevard and drove north on a dirt trail leading into a heavily wooded area, until he struck a large sand berm. King then jumped out of the vehicle and fled on foot further into the woods. Deputies then chased him on foot and were able to take him into custody.

"This guy is no stranger to the Green Roof in and found himself right back there," Sheriff Rick Staly said. "He endangered many lives his feeble and foolish attempt to avoid justice. I commend our deputies for safely bringing this incident to a close."



King (Flagler County Jail Mugshot)

King was arrested on three counts of Fleeing and Eluding, Reckless Driving, and Resisting an Officer without Violence. He was transported to the Sheriff Perry Hall Inmate Detention Facility, where he is currently being held without bond. His previous arrests include Carrying a Concealed Weapon, Possessions of Hallucinogens and Marijuana, and Resisting an Officer without Violence.

To view body camera of the arrest: <http://tinyurl.com/zpsrc7z7>

### **Flagler County Fugitive Arrested for Theft of Firearm**

On Friday, January 12, 2024, FCSO deputies captured a Palatka man who was wanted on a Flagler County warrant for a stolen firearm.

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Barzelogna (Flagler County Jail Mugshot)

Around 4:30 p.m., Deputy Beausoleil conducted a traffic stop on a silver GMC truck after it failed to come to a complete stop in the area of County Rd. 305 and State Road 100 W. A passenger in the vehicle presented his ID card which identified him as Caleb Barzelogna, 23. Barzelogna was found to have an active warrant in Flagler County for Grand Theft of a Firearm.

Barzelogna was arrested for his warrant and transported to the Sheriff Perry Hall Inmate Detention Facility. He was later released on \$2500 bond.

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