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Putnam County Prosecuting Attorney, Kristina D. Raynes, reports thirty-four (34) indictments were returned by the July 2026 Term Putnam County Grand Jury alleging forty (40) persons committed ninety-nine (99) felonies and twenty-four (24) misdemeanors. The following is the last known address and offenses for which they were indicted.

Derrick R. Akers
415 W. Fir Street
Eleanor, WV

Sexual abuse by a parent, guardian, custodian or other person in a position of trust x3, sexual abuse in the first degree, attempt to commit sexual abuse in the first degree

Clifton E. Brunty
21 Silver Mine Road
Branchland, WV

Fleeing in a vehicle from a law enforcement officer in reckless indifference to the safety of others, driving on a suspended license, improper use of registration plate, driving a motor vehicle without the required security, operation without certificate or failure to produce certificate, possession of a controlled substance

Christopher A. Burgan
1042 25th Street
Huntington, WV

Grand larceny x2

Brennan M. Cain
146 Cross Lanes Drive
Nitro, WV

Embezzlement

Robert R. Combs
1420 Kanawha Blvd. W.
Charleston, WV

Grand larceny and conspiracy to commit grand larceny

Bobby J. Cowan
7256 Heizer Creek Road
Poca, WV

Attempt to commit unlawful assault

Leslie D. Dabney
5175 Seven Mile Ridge Road
Apple Grove, WV

Breaking and entering, conspiracy to commit breaking and entering, and petit larceny

Michael L. Darnell
3933 Herndon Road
Herndon, WV

Soliciting a minor via computer and use of minors in filming sexually explicit conduct

Joseph T. Elmore
803 Amity Drive
Charleston, WV

Grand larceny x2, conspiracy to commit grand larceny x2, destruction of property, and conspiracy to commit destruction of property

Tracy L. Ferrell
6899 Deepwater Mountain Road
Fayetteville, WV

Grand larceny

Steven A. Francé
325 Circle Drive
Nitro, WV

Driving on a revoked license, third offense

Robert H. Glenn
4020 Stave Branch Road
Fraziers Bottom, WV

Destruction of property

Bruce W. Grady
82 Lake Drive
Hurricane, WV

Distribution, exhibition, or possession of material depicting a minor engaged in sexually explicit conduct, failure to provide notice of a Registration change x 7

Mitchell G. Greathouse
629 15th Street
Huntington, WV

Wanton endangerment x 28, conspiracy to commit wanton endangerment, destruction of property x2, conspiracy to commit destruction Of property x2

Phillip M. Hively
7628 County Road 37
Scottown, OH

Aggravated vehicular homicide, driving in an impaired state causing death, and possession of a controlled substance

Anthony P. Iacampo
690 Rinehart Blvd.
Columbus, OH

Threats of terrorist acts, conveying false
information concerning terrorist acts and
committing terrorist hoaxes

Sara Kessler
37 Bryn Mawr Way
Culloden, WV

Possession with intent to deliver a controlled
substance and gross child neglect creating a
substantial risk of substantial risk of serious
bodily injury

Bernard A. Larch, II
188 Margaret Drive
Nitro, WV

Burglary and assault x2

Brooke E. Lively
4530 Daniel Boone Parkway
Foster, WV

Breaking and entering, conspiracy to commit
breaking and entering, petit larceny, and
possession of a controlled substance

Malaki L. McComas
5515 Guyan River Road
Huntington, WV

Shoplifting, third offense

Chad R. McDonald
505 Leon Sullivan Way
Charleston, WV

Grand larceny x2, conspiracy to commit grand
larceny x2, destruction of property, and
conspiracy to commit destruction of property

Jason R. McKeown
161 Valley Brooke Circle
Nitro, WV

Breaking and entering, petit larceny and
destruction of property

Garth A. Mariani
1105 Oakbridge Drive
Hurricane, WV

Wanton endangerment, brandishing a deadly
weapon, domestic assault and possession of a
controlled substance

James F. Marshall
147 Church Camp Road
Hurricane, WV

Strangulation and domestic battery

Joel A. Martin
213 96th Street
Marmet, WV

Grand larceny

Dustin D. Morin
26 Lake Chadesa Drive, Apt 1
Hurricane, WV

Soliciting a minor via computer

John J. Neal
1377 State Route 503
Wurtland, KY

Possession with intent to deliver a controlled substance x2

Timothy H. Nelson
8734 Little 16 Mile Road
Southside, WV

Shoplifting, third offense

Jody A. Newsome
751 Sugar Camp Road
Winfield, WV

Possession with intent to deliver a controlled substance and gross child neglect creating a substantial risk of substantial risk of serious bodily injury

Anthony D. Proctor
1405 Evergreen Drive
Fraziers Bottom, WV

Breaking and entering, conspiracy to commit breaking and entering, and petit larceny

William M. Pulce
600 Shrewsberry Street
Charleston, WV

Driving under the influence of alcohol, controlled substance, or drugs, third offense, driving on a revoked license, second offense, unsafe and improperly equipped vehicles

Brendan M. Ramsey
98 Willarose Drive
Hurricane, WV

Child abuse resulting in injury

Cory J. Ronk
249 Short Trail Lane
Hurricane, WV

Possession with intent to deliver

Ashley J. Samples
5033 Apt. 2, Big Tyler Road
Cross Lanes, WV

Driving on a revoked license, third offense

Terry L. Scharton
1021 Trace Creek Road
Hurricane, WV

Driving under the influence of alcohol, third offense, and driving a motor vehicle without a valid driver's license

Megan L. Smoot
3720 4th Avenue
Huntington, WV

Shoplifting, third offense

Matthew M. Strawderman
2445 1st Avenue Apt. 8
Huntington, WV

Grand larceny, possession with intent to deliver a controlled substance x3, person prohibited possessing a firearm, and petit larceny x2

Jack E. Stephenson
707 Emerald Drive
Hurricane, WV

Gross child neglect creating a substantial risk
of serious bodily injury x2 and driving in an
impaired state

Seth I. Ward
166 Elm Street
Poca, WV

Sexual abuse by parent, guardian, custodian or
other person in a position of trust x4 and sex
assault in the second degree x4

Hailey R. Williamson aka
Hailey R. Greathouse
2476 Big Creek Road
Wayne, WV

Conspiracy to commit wanton endangerment,
accessory after the fact, conspiracy to commit

Further, pursuant to Rule 3.6(b)(6) of the West Virginia Rules of Professional Conduct governing attorneys, the fact that a defendant has been charged with a crime, is merely an accusation, and that the defendant is presumed innocent until and unless proven guilty.