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SUBJECT: Significant Arrest

RELEASED BY: Officer Andrew Boggess

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On Thursday, July 7, 2022 at 3:55 pm, Officers from the Owensboro Police Department initiated a traffic stop on a vehicle wanted in connection to several cases over the last several days. The vehicle fled from the traffic stop and officers located it unoccupied a short time later near Bosley Road and York Drive. Officers located the suspect (Braxton Green, 19) and after a foot pursuit took him into custody in the 2200 block of McFarland Ave. At the time of his arrest, Green had two handguns on him that had both been stolen from a location in the county and reported to the Daviess County Sheriff's Office.

Green was charged with:

- Unauthorized Use of Motor Vehicle 1st Offense
- Criminal Mischief 1st Degree
- Receiving Stolen Property Firearm (2 Counts)
- Trafficking in Marijuana 1st Offense (Enhancement while armed)
- Fleeing or Evading Police 1st Degree (Motor Vehicle)
- Receiving Stolen Property
- Criminal Trespassing 3rd Degree (2 Counts)
- Fleeing or Evading Police 2nd Degree (On Foot)
- Giving Officer False Identifying Information

In addition to the previous charges, Green had outstanding warrants for the below charges:

- Wanton Endangerment 1st Degree
- Assault 4th Degree (Minor Injury)
- Unauthorized Use of Motor Vehicle 1st Offense

Green already has a significant criminal record since the age of 18 that includes numerous arrests. Some of these previous charges include:

- Burglary 2nd Degree (2 Counts)
- Theft by Unlawful Taking Auto (\$500 or more but under \$10,000)
- Trafficking in Marijuana 1st Offense
- Resisting Arrest
- Unlawful Transaction with a Minor 2nd Degree (2 Counts)
- Criminal Trespassing 1st Degree
- Theft by Unlawful Taking (3 Counts)
- Numerous other drug charges