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Date: 06/03/2025

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****Update to Wenatchee Police Department Case number 25W08321****

Sweeping, Multi Agency Response and Investigation Continues

Chelan County Sheriff's Office leads and coordinates the in-depth investigation into the death of three children, and search for the suspect.

We, the Chelan County Sheriff's Office (CCSO), want to express our deepest condolences to the involved family and friends of the deceased. Our hearts go out to each of them as we continue to navigate this complex set of events with them and attempt to bring closure to this case.

As of yesterday, CCSO detectives and deputies were able to gather information that led them to search the Icicle Rd area of Leavenworth, WA in hopes of locating Travis Decker and his three daughters. Around 3:45 pm yesterday, a CCSO Forest Service Deputy, conducting patrol on his motorcycle, located Mr. Decker's vehicle in a remote area, approximately 17 miles up the road, ultimately discovering the three deceased children and Mr. Decker was nowhere to be found.

On duty detectives, supervisors, and deputies immediately launched an in-depth investigation into the scene and began coordinating a response from multiple local, state, and federal agencies to assist in processing the crime scene and conducting a large-scale search for Mr. Decker.

While operations continued throughout the night, The East Cascade Regional Swat Team (ECST) with U.S Border Patrol Tactical and Search Trauma Rescue Teams and the Department of Homeland Security (HSI) are currently conducting search operations at this time. Icicle Road continues to be closed to public access at mile post 4.

We are requesting the public to remain vigilant and call 911 immediately if they see, or believe they have seen, Mr. Decker. It is unknown if he is armed at this time but should be considered dangerous and the public should not approach Mr. Decker for any reason, but only call 911.

CCSO will release more, necessary information as it becomes available.

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****CCSO SUSPECT INFORMATION****

We are asking for the community's assistance in locating Decker. Decker is currently wanted for 3 counts of Murder 1st degree and Kidnapping 1st degree. Decker is a former Military with extensive training. If you have seen him, or believe to have seen him, within the last several days, please contact 911. It is unknown if he is armed at this time but he should be considered dangerous and should not be contacted or approached.



Travis Caleb Decker 8/15/1992
5'8" 190lbs, Black hair, brown eyes
Last seen wearing light colored shirt and dark shorts

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