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For Immediate Release

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**\*\*Update 13 1300 hours 7/25/2025\*\***

**The search effort for Travis Decker continues with a reduced footprint while the criminal investigation remains ongoing.**

**A decrease in leads and tips into the potential location of Mr. Decker has led to a reduced footprint from CCSO and other LE Agencies in the search. CCSO Detectives continue to assess evidence and search for new investigative leads.**

Law enforcement personnel, along with search and rescue organizations have conducted an exhaustive search for Mr. Decker of the wilderness area surrounding the initial crime scene. Information and leads received have been followed up on in several different areas with the focus remaining on the Blewett Pass and Enhancements area between Chelan and Kittitas Counties.

Search efforts have included swift water teams, multiple K9 teams with various disciplines (tracking, human remains detection, etc), air assets, and personnel on foot. As of today, Mr. Decker has still not been located, and there is insufficient information to suggest that he is alive, nor if he is deceased.

The most recent search area led our teams to the Blewett Pass area, north of the Mineral Springs campground. The potential evidence and intelligence gathered in this area are inconclusive, meaning we cannot confirm any of the information is directly associated with Mr. Decker.

As bear hunting season opens in August, and others continue their outdoor pursuits, we strongly encourage everyone venturing out into these areas remain vigilant and report any suspicious activities, persons, or items they may come across by reporting it to 911 immediately. We also ask those who do come across something to mark the location using GPS or other marking form if they are able to, and even take pictures if it is safe.

CCSO Detectives remain actively engaged in processing evidence and will continue to follow up on leads or tips as they come in.

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**The United States Marshals Service is offering a reward of up to \$20,000 for information leading directly to Travis DECKER's arrest. The suspect should be considered armed and dangerous.**

**If you see Travis Decker, please call 911 immediately and do not attempt to contact or approach him. Anyone with information is urged to contact the nearest U.S. Marshals office, the U.S. Marshals Service Communications Center at 1-800-336-0102, or USMS Tips at [www.usmarshals.gov/tips](http://www.usmarshals.gov/tips).**

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