

Press Release

LAKE CITY
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DEPARTMENT



Chief of Police Gerald Butler

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MAN DROWNS EX-GIRLFRIEND'S DOG

On Wednesday, June 28, 2023 at approximately 1:58 p.m. officers responded to 833 SW Poplar Ln. in reference to animal cruelty.

After speaking to the current resident, officers learned Jeremy L. Brock was previously a resident at the aforementioned address and was dating a prior resident. Brock sent threatening text messages to his ex-girlfriend stating he was going to kill her dog. The dog was in the possession of the current resident as Brock's ex-girlfriend was relocating.

Upon return to the residences after an outing, the current resident discovered the dog deceased in the bathtub with a dog leash tightly wrapped around its neck. During an interview, Brock stated he drowned the canine by filling the bathtub with water and placing a wet pillow over its head while applying downward force with the weight of a laundry basket.

Brock was arrested for willful torture and intentional death of an animal.

	BROCK, JEREMY (W/ MALE / DOB: 7/3/1999)				
	Status:	In Jail			
	Booking No:	CCSO23JBN001707	MniNo:	CCSO22MNI005005	
	Booking Date:	06/28/2023 03:19 PM			
	Age On Booking Date:	23			
	Bond Amount:	\$0.00			
	Address Given:	833 SW POPULAR LANE LAKE CITY, FL 32025			

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CHARGES					
STATUTE	COURT CASE NUMBER	CHARGE	DEGREE	LEVEL	BOND
[+] 828.12.2	P/C (LAKE CITY POLICE DEPARTMENT)	CONSERVATION-ANIMALS	T	F	\$10000.00

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