



## ***PRESS RELEASE***

September 15, 2007

This morning at approximately 7:30 am, Deputy Julia Bowman was looking for:

Colin T. Willette, 36 years old  
Of: 31 Albright Ridge Rd.  
New Gloucester

In order to serve him 2 criminal summons' from Oxford PD for Terrorizing and Failure to Stop for a Police Officer stemming from an incident on 08/08/07, and she knew he had 5 outstanding WOA's. Deputy Bowman saw Willette driving and attempted to arrest him on the WOA's and to serve him the summonses, plus she was aware his right to operate was under suspension.

Willette refused to stop and a chase ensued that lasted 6 miles, starting in New Gloucester, into Auburn and back into New Gloucester when his vehicle became disabled and he fled into the woods. A K-9 track flushed Willette out of the woods, he was taken into custody when another Deputy saw Willette getting into another car attempting to flee.

### Charges:

1. Violation of Conditions of Release
2. Eluding a Police Officer (Class C)
3. OAS
4. Reckless Conduct with a Motor Vehicle (Class C)

The Warrants of Arrest were for:

1. Negotiating a Worthless Instrument (X2), Lewiston PD
2. OAS, Lewiston PD
3. Theft, Lewiston PD
4. Criminal Speeding Indictment, Portland Superior Court.

Willette is currently being held at CCJ without Bail allowed do to the Violation of Conditions of Release. He will be arraigned early next week.

***Note:*** Willette was arrested back in August stemming from a case in which Oxford PD was called to a residence that Willette was refusing to leave. When the PD arrived he fled and a chase ensued in that case also, in which the State Police took over and ended in North Yarmouth, when Willette crash his motorcycle.

Booking photo can be obtained by contacting CCJ-Intake at 774-1444 ext. 2139.

Questions can be referred to Captain Goulet at 774-1444 ext. 2110 during normal business hours.

Prepared by,  
Captain Goulet