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POLICE DEPARTMENT

October 30, 2008

Maple Grove Community Member,

The Maple Grove Police Department has been notified that a Level 3 Offender will be moving into the 9400 block of Ranchview Lane North, on November 1, 2008. Included in this mailing you will find a fact sheet pertaining to this offender. The information sheet has been prepared by the Minnesota Department of Corrections. The same fact sheet is posted on the City's website at www.ci.maple-grove.mn.us. We are making this notification per MN Statute 244.052.

The Maple Grove Police Department will be hosting a community notification meeting:

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 2, 2008

Maple Grove Senior High School – Auditorium
9800 Fernbrook Lane North
Maple Grove, MN 55369
7:00 PM – 8:30 PM

The Minnesota Department of Corrections will provide a presentation on the Minnesota Offender Notification laws, safety tips and information pertaining to the offender. Members of the Maple Grove Police Department and the Minnesota Department of Corrections will be available to answer questions, as part of this notification meeting.

Sincerely,

Ramona L. Dohman
Chief of Police
Maple Grove Police Department

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FACT SHEET

NOTIFICATION OF RELEASE IN MINNESOTA

RISK LEVEL THREE

In addition to level two notification (schools and daycares as well as establishments and Organizations that primarily serve individuals likely to be victimized by the offender), law enforcement may notify other members of the community whom the offender is likely to encounter.

The *Maple Grove Police Department* is available to provide you with useful information on personal safety. The *Maple Grove Police Department* may be reached at 763-494-6100. To report criminal activity by this offender or any other individual, please call 911.

DOUGLAS JAMES FELIX **DOB: 01/07/1972**

OID: 156814

Race: White	Hispanic: No
Height: 5' 9"	Eyes: Blue
Weight: 170	Hair: Brown
Complexion: Fair	Build: Medium



03/24/2008



03/05/2008

Registration statute(s): 609.342

Investigating agency: Kanabec County Sheriff's Office

Release date: 03/05/2008

Offender has a history of sexual contact with juvenile females (age 11-15). The contact has included fondling and penetration. Offender was known to victims.

Address: Ranchview Lane North, Maple Grove, MN 55369.

Date of address change: 11/01/2008

The *Maple Grove Police Department* is releasing this information pursuant to Minnesota Statutes 244.052. This statute authorizes law enforcement agencies to inform the public of a sexual or predatory offender's release from prison or a secure treatment facility when the *Maple Grove Police Department* believes that the release of information will enhance public safety and protection.

The individual who appears on this notification has been convicted of Criminal Sexual Conduct or another offense that requires registration with law enforcement pursuant to Minnesota Statutes 243.166 or 243.167.

This offender is *not wanted by the police* at this time and *has served the sentence* imposed on him/her by the court. This notification is not intended to increase fear in the community. Law enforcement believes that an informed public is a safer public.

The *Maple Grove Police Department* and the Minnesota Department of Corrections may NOT direct where the offender does or does not reside, nor can these agencies direct where he/she works or goes to school. The risk level of this offender has been determined based largely on his/her potential to re-offend based on his/her previous criminal behavior.

Convicted sexual and predatory offenders have always been released to live in our communities. It was not until the passage of the Registration Act that law enforcement had an ability track the movement of these offenders after their initial release. With the passage of the Community Notification Act law enforcement may now share information about many of these offenders with the public. Abuse of this information to threaten, harass or intimidate a registered offender is unacceptable and such acts could be charged as a crime. Such abuses could potentially end the ability of law enforcement to provide these notifications. If community notification ends the only person who wins is the offender. Many of these offenders derive their power from the opportunity that secrecy provides.