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Level 3 Sex Offender Notification Jesse Thomas Stewart

New Address: 12619 E. Brenda Drive – Yuma AZ 85367

The Yuma County Sheriff's Office (YCSO) is releasing the following information pursuant to A.R.S. 13-3825, the Community Notification on Sex Offenders Law. The offender in this publication is living within Yuma County. It is the responsibility of the Chief Law Enforcement Office having jurisdiction where the offender resides to make notification to the community. Notification must be made when certain sex offenders are released from the Arizona State Prison, accepted under an interstate compact or released from the county jail back into the community. Offenders are categorized into three levels: Level One (low risk to the community), Level Two (intermediate risk to the community), and Level Three (high risk to the community).

The individual who appears on this notification, **Jesse Thomas Stewart**, 33, has been convicted of a sex offense which allows for community notification. Jesse Stewart has advised the YCSO that he is residing at 12619 E. Brenda Drive, in Yuma, Arizona. He is described as 6 feet, 1 inch tall, 230 pounds, with black hair and brown eyes. He is not wanted by the Yuma County Sheriff's Office at this time.

On June 12, 2009, Stewart pled guilty in the Yuma County Superior Court to Aggravated Assault and Attempted Sexual Assault. He was sentenced to 12.5 years in the Arizona Department of Corrections, with 646 days credit for time served. His victim was an adult female. He is not on probation or parole.

Jesse Stewart is considered a Level 3 sex offender with a high risk to reoffend.

This notification is not intended to increase fear; rather, it is our belief that an informed community is a safer community. The YCSO has no legal authority to direct where a sex offender may or may not live. Unless court ordered restrictions exist, this offender is constitutionally free to live wherever he/she chooses. Citizen abuse of this information to threaten, intimidate, or harass sex offenders will not be tolerated. Sex Offenders have always lived in our communities; but because of Megan's law, law enforcement is now able to share this information with you.



Jesse T. Stewart

Height: 6'1"
Weight: 230 lbs
Hair: Black
Eyes: Brown

The YCSO would like to remind the public of the registered sex offender and community notification program OffenderWatch. To register for free email alerts or search for sex offenders in your area, please visit the YCSO [OffenderWatch](#) page.

If you have information regarding current criminal activity on this or any other offender, please call the Yuma County Sheriff's Office at (928) 783-4427.

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