

***Update #2- Victim Identified* Delaware State Police Conducting Homicide Investigation**

Delaware State Police have identified **Terrance Frisby, 20**, of Georgetown, as the victim of the homicide at Dunbarton Apartments on February 27, 2023.

[Delaware State Police Conducting Homicide Investigation – Delaware State Police – State of Delaware](#)

[*Update- Suspects Arrested* Delaware State Police Conducting Homicide Investigation – Delaware State Police – State of Delaware](#)

The Homicide Unit is still investigating this incident. Detectives are asking anyone with information regarding this case to contact Detective B. McDerby by calling 302-741-2821. Information may also be provided by sending a Private Facebook Message to the [Delaware State Police](#) or contacting [Delaware Crime Stoppers](#) at 1-800-847-3333.

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Update- Victim Identified

Delaware State Police Investigating Single Vehicle Fatal Collision

The Delaware State Police have identified the victim who died in a single-vehicle fatal accident that occurred in New Castle on March 2, 2023, as **Jose Cruz-Castrejon**, 18, of New Castle, Delaware.

[Delaware State Police Investigating Single Vehicle Fatal Collision](#)

The Delaware State Police Troop 2 Collision Reconstruction Unit continues to investigate this collision. Troopers are asking anyone who witnessed this collision to please contact Master Corporal J. Breen by calling 302-365-8486. Information may also be provided by sending a Private Facebook Message to the [Delaware State Police](#) or contacting [Delaware Crime Stoppers](#) at 1-800-847-3333.

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Delaware State Police S.O.A.R. Searching for Wanted Sex Offenders

The Delaware State Police Sex Offender Apprehension and Registration Unit (S.O.A.R.) is currently looking for the following **wanted** [sex offenders](#) after they either failed to register or re-register at their current address. If anyone knows the location of these subjects, they are asked to call 302-672-5306. Information may also be provided by contacting [Delaware Crime Stoppers](#) at 1-800-847-3333.





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Homeless Sex Offender Notification

The following people are **not wanted**. This is a Homeless [Sex Offender](#) Public Notification. If you have information that the listed people are occupying a residence, please call 302-672-5306. Information may also be provided by contacting [Delaware Crime Stoppers](#) at 1-800-847-3333.



Megan's Law Community Notice

**THIS NOTICE IS PROVIDED FOR ADVISORY PURPOSES ONLY
THIS IS NOT A WANTED PERSON**



MATTHEW H SPENCE III



Risk Level: Tier 2 (Moderate Risk)
Verified On: March 2, 2023
Registered Since: April 11, 2014
In Prison: No
Convicted Out of State: No
Repeat Offender: No

Police Agency: DSP HEADQUARTERS
Phone: (302) 659-2341
Address: PO BOX 430
 Dover, DE 19903

Date of Birth: April 21, 1986 (age 36)
Gender: Male
Race: Black/African American
Skin Tone: DARK BROWN

Height: 6' 0"
Weight: 220 LBS
Hair Color: BLACK
Eye Color: Brown

Aliases

MATTHEW SPENCER
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 MATTHEW H SPENCE III

Scars, Marks, & Tattoos

TAT R ARM Tattoo Arm, Right
 NM R ARM Needle Marks Arm, Right
 TAT R WRS Tattoo Wrist, Right
 TAT UR ARM Tattoo Arm, Right Upper

Addresses

Type	Address	County	Development/Employer
Home	706 INDEPENDENCE DR. HERRING SEAFORD, DE 19973	Sussex	Homeless
Work	21729 Maple DR SEAFORD, DE 19973	Sussex	WORMS QUALITY CARPET CARE
School	(no address on file)	Other	Not Attending School

Vehicles

Type	Make/Model/Color	State	Registration
Auto	Ford EXPEDITION Black	DE	PC209597

Convictions

Adjudication Date	State	Statute	Description	Victim Age
January 27, 2014	DE	DE-11-0767-0000-M-A	UNLAWFUL SEXUAL CONTACT THIRD DEGREE	12-15yr
February 22, 2023	DE	DE-11-0770-00a2-F-C	Rape Fourth Degree Sexual Intercourse Victim Less Than 18 Years Old	Society



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Delaware State Police Investigating Single Vehicle Fatal Collision

Delaware State Police are investigating a fatal single motor vehicle collision that occurred in the Felton area yesterday

afternoon.

On March 2, 2023, at approximately 2:45 p.m., a 2013 Mazda 5 was traveling eastbound on Carpenters Bridge Road east of Roesville Road, Felton approaching a moderate right curve. For unknown reasons, the Mazda crossed the westbound lane and traveled off the north edge of the roadway. The front of the Mazda then struck a tree.

The 75-year-old male operator from Frederica was transported by ambulance to an area hospital where he was pronounced deceased. Identification of the victim is pending notification to the next of kin.

Carpenters Bridge Road was closed for approximately 2.5 hours while the crash was investigated and the roadway was cleared.

The Delaware State Police Troop 3 Collision Reconstruction Unit continues to investigate this collision. Troopers are asking anyone who witnessed this collision to please contact Master Corporal J. Lane by calling 302-698-8457. Information may also be provided by sending a Private Facebook Message to the [Delaware State Police](#) or contacting [Delaware Crime Stoppers](#) at 1-800-847-3333.

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Delaware State Police Investigating Single Vehicle Fatal Collision

Delaware State Police are investigating a fatal single motor vehicle collision that occurred in the New Castle area last night.

On March 2, 2023, at approximately 9:17 p.m., a 2005 Ford Mustang was traveling northbound on Route 9 approaching Federal School Lane. The 18-year-old male operator from New Castle, DE, lost control of the vehicle and it began to rotate clockwise skidding in a northeasterly direction across the southbound lane, back across the northbound lane, and then across the right shoulder. The driver-side tires of the Ford struck a raised concrete curb located at the entrance to a business on the 1300 block of River Road. The curb strike caused the Ford to roll over and go airborne into a heavily wooded area where it eventually came to rest on all four tires. The Ford then caught fire.

The front-seat passenger who was wearing his seatbelt was able to exit the vehicle. He was not injured during the crash. The operator who was not properly restrained was unsuccessful at exiting the vehicle. The operator was pronounced deceased at the scene. Identification of the victim is pending notification to the next of kin.

Route 9 between Hamburg Road and Federal School Lane was closed for approximately 4 hours while the crash was investigated and the roadway was cleared.



⚠️ Traffic Alert - New Castle ⚠️

Route 9 is closed in both directions between Hamburg Road and Federal School Lane for a serious collision. Seek alternate routes of travel.

The Delaware State Police Troop 2 Collision Reconstruction Unit continues to investigate this collision. Troopers are asking anyone who witnessed this collision to please contact Master Corporal J. Breen by calling 302-365-8486. Information may also be provided by sending a Private Facebook Message to the [Delaware State Police](#) or contacting [Delaware Crime Stoppers](#) at 1-800-847-3333.

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**Delaware State Police
Investigating McDonalds**

Robbery

Delaware State Police are investigating a robbery of a McDonalds restaurant that occurred in the Wilmington area last night.

On Wednesday, March 1, 2023, at approximately 9:13 p.m., troopers responded to McDonalds located at 1790 W. Newport Pike, Wilmington, for a reported robbery. The investigation revealed a male suspect approached an employee and demanded money from the cash register. The employee gave an undisclosed amount of money to the suspect who fled the area in an unknown direction. No one was injured during this incident.

The suspect was described as a white male, approximately 40-50 years old, wearing dark clothing. There are no surveillance images available at this time.

The Delaware State Police Troop 2 Robbery Unit is currently investigating the incident. Detectives are asking anyone with information regarding this case to contact Detective J. Dempsey by calling 302-365-8510. Information may also be provided by sending a Private Facebook Message to the [Delaware State Police](#) or contacting [Delaware Crime Stoppers](#) at 1-800-847-3333.

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Delaware State Police Investigating Fatal Pedestrian Collision Near Bridgeville

The Delaware State Police are investigating a fatal pedestrian collision that occurred near Bridgeville yesterday evening.

On Wednesday, March 1, 2023 at approximately 6:37 p.m., a Chrysler 300, operated by a 63-year-old man, was traveling northbound in the left lane on US Route 13, approaching the intersection of Rifle Range Road. A Chevrolet Cruze, operated by a 20-year-old woman, was traveling northbound on US Route 13, in the right lane, adjacent to the Chrysler 300.

For unknown reasons, an adult male pedestrian crossing westbound, from the east side of the roadway, walked in front of the Chrysler 300 and was struck. The Chrysler 300 swerved to the right and struck the left side of the Chevrolet Cruze.

The operators of the Chrysler 300 and the Chevrolet Cruze were not injured. The pedestrian was transported to an area hospital where, sadly he died from his injuries. The identification of the victim is being withheld until his family members are notified.

The roadway was closed for approximately three hours while the scene was investigated and cleared.

The Delaware State Police Troop 7 Collision Reconstruction Unit continues to investigate this incident. Troopers are asking anyone who witnessed this collision to contact Corporal

J. Smith by calling 302-703-3267. Information may also be provided by sending a Private Facebook Message to the [Delaware State Police](#) or contacting [Delaware Crime Stoppers](#) at 1-800-847-3333.

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Delaware State Police Investigating False Reports of School Shooter

The Delaware State Police is investigating threats to multiple schools. Numerous phone calls regarding the threat of an active shooter at various schools throughout the State of Delaware were made to numerous police departments this morning. Similar incidents have been reported outside the State of Delaware.

These calls have been determined to be a **hoax** and a form of "swatting." Swatting occurs when a prank call is made to

emergency services in an attempt to generate a large police response at a particular address.

The DSP is working with allied law enforcement agencies to thoroughly investigate this incident and ensure the safety of our children and the community as a whole. We encourage you to contact your local school district for additional information pertaining to a specific school.

The Delaware State Police is still actively investigating this incident. Anyone with information regarding this incident is asked to contact [Delaware Crime Stoppers](#) at 1-800-847-3333. Anyone who provides information leading to a successful arrest is eligible for a **CASH reward of up to \$5000**. To report any suspicious activity, please call 9-1-1 or contact the [Delaware Anti-Terrorism Tip Line](#) at 1-800- 367-2312.

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Delaware State Police Releases “Retro” Patrol Vehicles for Centennial Anniversary

As the women and men of the Delaware State Police continue to celebrate its Centennial Anniversary, the Division strives to honor the agency’s history through a variety of methods.

One of the ways the Division has acknowledged its lasting legacy is through the addition of several “throwback” retro patrol vehicles to the active fleet.

A total of eight varied, marked vehicle schemes will patrol the highways, neighborhoods, and business districts of the State for the remainder of the centennial year. Six of the retro graphic designs depicted on these 2023 Chevrolet Tahoes are in the likeness of State Police vehicles from the 1930s to the 1980s.

In addition to these six designs, the Division has also deployed several Tahoes, which will display our centennial graphics, all commemorating this momentous occasion.

While these vehicles may harken back to decades of the past, make no mistake that they are equipped with all of the modern-day equipment that Troopers need to effectively uphold the laws of the First State and ensure the safety and well-being of all residents and visitors.

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