

Police/Court Abbreviations

Abbreviations: A&D, Alcohol & Drug; DUI, Driving Under the Influence of Intoxicants; BUI, Boating Under the Influence of Intoxicants; CCSO, Columbia County Sheriff's Office; DWS, Driving While License is Suspended; MIP, Minor In Possession of Intoxicants; MVA, Motor Vehicle Accident; PCS, Possession of Controlled Substance; ODL, Oregon Driver License; FTA, Failure to Appear in Court; NTSI, National Traffic Safety Institute; DA, District Attorney; VIP, Victim Impact Panel; FF&A, Fines, Fees and Assessments.

Over 600 marijuana plants found in Columbia County in September

Over 600 mature marijuana plants were seized last week from 16 locations in Columbia County, during four days of marijuana eradication operations throughout the county. The smallest seizure was four plants; the largest site had over four-hundred plants.

No arrests were made, though one adult male was referred to the Columbia County District Attorney's office. Additionally, several leads and other

persons of interest are being investigated in connection with the outdoor marijuana operations.

Anyone having information or wishing to surrender to authorities should

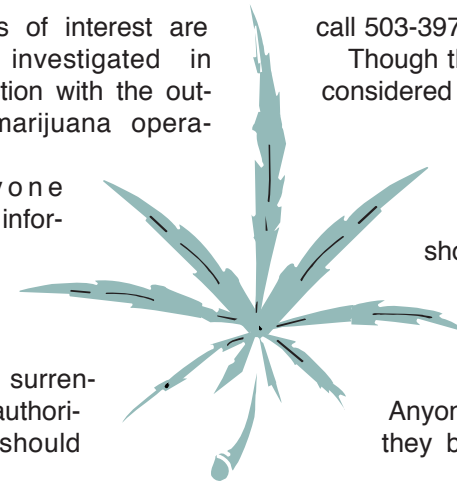
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Though the mission is being considered a huge success, officials suggested that people having reason to be in the woods should remain vigilant to other undiscovered marijuana growing operations.

Anyone discovering what they believe to be mari-

juana growing outdoors should leave the area and contact their local law enforcement agency.

The operation was conducted by investigators with the Columbia Enforcement Narcotics Team (CENT) in cooperation with the Oregon Army National Guard, St. Helens Police Department, Oregon State Police Columbia County Sheriffs Office, Scappoose Police Department, and Clatskanie Police Department.



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