

**ACTUAL EXPENDITURES AND PERFORMANCE RESULTS ACHIEVED BY THE
SOUTHERN VIRGINIA INTERNET CRIMES AGAINST CHILDREN TASK FORCE**

REPORT TO THE

**Governor
Secretary of Public Safety and Homeland Security
Senate Finance Committee
House Appropriations Committee
Director of Department of Planning and Budget**



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SOUTHERN VIRGINIA

INTERNET CRIMES AGAINST CHILDREN TASK FORCE



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TO: The Honorable Abigail D. Spanberger
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The Honorable Stanley M. Meador
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Pursuant to Appropriation Act – Item 394 H.2. (2026 Session), I am respectfully submitting herewith a report on the *Actual Expenditures and Performance Results Achieved by the Southern Virginia Internet Crimes Against Children Task Force* for the Report period of July 1, 2025, through June 30, 2026.

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'M. Maul'.

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REPORT ON THE ACTUAL EXPENDITURES AND PERFORMANCE RESULTS ACHIEVED BY THE SOUTHERN VIRGINIA INTERNET CRIMES AGAINST CHILDREN TASK FORCE DURING THE 2025-2026 YEAR

OVERVIEW OF THE TASK FORCE

The Southern Virginia Internet Crimes Against Children Task Force, otherwise known as SOVA-ICAC, was founded in 1998 with funding from the Department of Justice through the Office of Juvenile Justice Delinquency Prevention. Originally the task force name was *Operation Blue Ridge Thunder*. The task force designation is through the Bedford County Sheriff's Office. Initial investigative responsibilities were investigating child sexual exploitation crimes perpetrated against children using the Internet but was later changed to include most all child sexual exploitation crimes perpetrated against children to include, but not limited to, child trafficking and child prostitution.

The SOVA-ICAC is comprised of 194 affiliate agencies from all areas of Law Enforcement, the private sector, and Non-Government Organizations. Law Enforcement support comes from Federal, State, County City/Local, Tribal and Military agencies. An (*) denotes an agency that joined the Task Force this past year.

Affiliate Agency Name	Agency Type
Abingdon Police Department	City/Local
Accomack County Sheriff's Office	County
Albemarle County Police Department	County
Albemarle County Sheriff's Office	County
Alleghany County Sheriff's Office	County
Amelia County Sheriff's Office	County
Amherst County Sheriff's Office	County
Amherst Police Department	City/Local
Appalachia Police Department	City/Local
Appomattox County Sheriff's Office	County
Augusta County Sheriff's Office	County
Bath County Sheriff's Office	County
Bedford County Sheriff's Office	County
Bedford County Department of Social Services	County
Big Stone Gap Police Department	City/Local
Blacksburg Police Department	City/Local
Blackstone Police Department*	City/Local
Bland County Sheriff's Office*	County

Bluefield Police Department	City/Local
Botetourt County Sheriff's Office	County
Bristol Police Department	City/Local
Brunswick County Sheriff's Office	City/Local
Buchanan County Sheriff's Office	County
Buckingham County Sheriff's Office	County
Buena Vista Police Department	City/Local
Campbell County Sheriff's Office	County
Caroline County Sheriff's Office	County
Carroll County Sheriff's Office	County
Cedar Bluff Police Department	City/Local
Centra Health (Forensic Nurses for Child Sex Abuse Exams)	NGO
Central Virginia Community College Police Department	State
Central Virginia Criminal Justice Academy	State
Charles City County Sheriff's Office	County
Charlotte County Sheriff's Office	County
Charlottesville Police Department	City/Local
Chesapeake Police Department	City/Local
Chesterfield County Police Department	County
Children's Advocacy Center of Bristol/Washington County	NGO
Children's Trust – Child Advocacy Center	NGO
Christiansburg Police Department	City/Local
CID (ARMY): Criminal Investigative Command, HQ VA	Federal
Clifton Forge Police Department	City/Local
Coeburn Police Department	City/Local
Colonial Beach Police Department	City/Local
Colonial Heights Police Department	City/Local
Covington Police Department	City/Local
Craig County Sheriff's Office	County
Crewe Police Department	City/Local
Cumberland County Sheriff's Office	County
Danville Police Department	City/Local
Dickenson County Sheriff's Office	County
Dinwiddie County Sheriff's Office	County
Emporia Police Department	City/Local
Farmville Police Department	City/Local
Floyd County Sheriff's Office	County
Fluvanna County Sheriff's Office	County

Franklin City Police Department	City/Local
Franklin County Sheriff's Office	County
Galax Police Department	City/Local
Giles County Sheriff's Office	County
Gloucester County Sheriff's Office	County
Goochland County Sheriff's Office	County
Grayson County Sheriff's Office	County
Greater Richmond SCAN	NGO
Greene County Sheriff's Office	County
Greensville County Sheriff's Office	County
Halifax County Sheriff's Office	County
Hampden-Sydney College Police Department	Private
Hampton Police Department	City/Local
Hanover County Sheriff's Office	County
Henrico County Police Division	County
Henry County Sheriff's Office	County
Highland County Sheriff's Office	County
Hillsville Police Department	City/Local
Hopewell Police Department	City/Local
Isle of Wight County Sheriff's Office	County
James City County Police Department	County
King and Queen County Sheriff's Office	County
King George County Sheriff's Office	County
Lancaster County Sheriff's Office	County
Lebanon Police Department	City/Local
Lee County Sheriff's Office	County
Liberty University Police Department	Private
Louisa County Sheriff's Office	County
Lynchburg City Sheriff's Office	City/Local
Lynchburg Police Department	City/Local
Martinsville Police Department	City/Local
Mathews County Sheriff's Office	County
Mecklenburg County Sheriff's Office	County
Middlesex County Sheriff's Office	County
Montgomery County Sheriff's Office	County
Narrows Police Department*	City/Local
Nelson County Sheriff's Office	County
New Kent Sheriff's Office	County

Newport News Police Department	City/Local
Norfolk Police Department	City/Local
Northampton County Sheriff's Office	County
Northumberland County Sheriff's Offices Office	County
Norton Police Department	City/Local
Patrick County Sheriff's Office	County
Pennington Gap Police Department	City/Local
Petersburg Police Department	City/Local
Piedmont Regional Criminal Justice Academy	County
Pittsylvania County Sheriff's Office	County
Poquoson Police Department	City/Local
Portsmouth Police Department	City/Local
Pound Police Department	City/Local
Powhatan Sheriff's Office	City/Local
Prince Edward County Sheriff's Office	County
Prince George County Police Department	County
Pulaski County Sheriff's Office	County
Pulaski Police Department	City/Local
Radford Police Department	City/Local
Radford University Police Department	Private
Rich Creek Police Department	City/Local
Richlands Police Department	City/Local
Richmond City Police Department	City/Local
Richmond County Sheriff's Office	County
Roanoke City Police Department	City/Local
Roanoke County Police Department	County
Rockbridge County Sheriff's Office	County
Rocky Mount Police Department	City/Local
Russell County Sheriff's Office	County
Salem Police Department	City/Local
Saltville Police Department	City/Local
Scott County Sheriff's Office	County
Smithfield Police Department*	City/Local
Smyth County Sheriff's Office	County
South Hill Police Department	City/Local
Southampton County Sheriff's Office	County
Southern Virginia Child Advocacy Center	NGO
St. Paul Police Department	City/Local

Staunton Police Department	City/Local
Suffolk Police Department	City/Local
Tappahannock Police Department*	City/Local
Tazewell County Sheriff's Office	County
Tazewell Police Department	City/Local
U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement	Federal
United States Attorney's Office - Eastern District	Federal
United States Attorney's Office – Western District	Federal
University of Virginia Police Department	State/Private
Vinton Police Department	City/Local
Virginia Attorney General	State
Virginia Beach Police Department	City/Local
Virginia Tech Police Department	State/Private
VA Commonwealth's Attorney: Albemarle County	County
VA Commonwealth's Attorney: Amelia County	County
VA Commonwealth's Attorney: Augusta County	County
VA Commonwealth's Attorney: Bedford County	County
VA Commonwealth's Attorney: Botetourt County	County
VA Commonwealth's Attorney: Brunswick County*	County
VA Commonwealth's Attorney: Campbell County	County
VA Commonwealth's Attorney: Carroll County*	County
VA Commonwealth's Attorney: Chesapeake City	City/Local
VA Commonwealth's Attorney: Danville City	City/Local
VA Commonwealth's Attorney: Dinwiddie County	County
VA Commonwealth's Attorney: Franklin County	County
VA Commonwealth's Attorney: Giles County	County
VA Commonwealth's Attorney: Gloucester County	County
VA Commonwealth's Attorney: Goochland County	County
VA Commonwealth's Attorney: Grayson County	County
VA Commonwealth's Attorney: Halifax County	County
VA Commonwealth's Attorney: Hanover County	County
VA Commonwealth's Attorney: Henrico County*	County
VA Commonwealth's Attorney: Henry County	County
VA Commonwealth's Attorney: Louisa County	County
VA Commonwealth's Attorney: Lynchburg City	City/Local
VA Commonwealth's Attorney: Middlesex County	County
VA Commonwealth's Attorney: Montgomery County	County
VA Commonwealth's Attorney: Norfolk City	City/Local

VA Commonwealth's Attorney: Northumberland County	County
VA Commonwealth's Attorney: Nottoway County	County
VA Commonwealth's Attorney: Pulaski County	County
VA Commonwealth's Attorney: Smyth County*	County
VA Commonwealth's Attorney: Tazewell County	County
VA Commonwealth's Attorney: Virginia Beach	City/Local
VA Commonwealth's Attorney: Waynesboro City	City/Local
VA Commonwealth's Attorney: Westmoreland County	County
VA Commonwealth's Attorney: Williamsburg-James City County	County
VA Commonwealth's Attorney: Wise County	County
VA Commonwealth's Attorney: Wythe County	County
VA Commonwealth's Attorney: York-Poquoson	County
VA Department of Probation and Parole: District 20 Bedford	State
VA Department of Probation and Parole: District 23 Virginia Beach	State
Washington County Sheriff's Office	County
Waynesboro Police Department	City/Local
Westmoreland County Sheriff's Office	County
Williamsburg Police Department	City/Local
Wise County Sheriff's Office	County
Wise Police Department	City/Local
Wythe County Police Department	County
York County Police Department	County

BUDGETARY SOVA-ICAC

CATEGORY	ESTIMATED FUNDING (from general and non- general funds)	ACTUAL FUNDING RECEIVED	EXPENDITURES	BALANCE (Collected- Expenditures)
Personnel	\$1,500,000.00	\$1,233,299.00	\$1,655,856.63	-\$422,557.63
Equipment/Supplies	\$1,496,547.00	\$1,227,168.00	\$1,095,153.54	\$132,014.46
Training	\$100,000.00	\$85,512.00	\$55,927.51	\$29,584.49
Total	\$3,096,547.00	\$2,545,979.00	\$2,806,937.68	-\$260,958.68

The State Budget passed in the 2025 Session provided funding in the amount of \$1,646,547 from the general fund, and \$2,658,420 from non-general funds, for a total of \$4,304,967 for FY2025 and FY2026.

The \$2,658,420 from non-general funds is comprised of funds from *Alicia's Law*, and is generated via fees assessed via the courts, upon conviction or guilty pleas of arrestable offenses. This amount includes the \$1,208,420 the budget allows, that is split by the two Virginia ICAC Task Forces, to support their affiliate members, and \$1,450,000 for the SOVA-ICAC Task Force. This is provided the fund generates enough fees to meet this amount. In essence, this \$2,658,420 is an “*up to*”, not a guaranteed amount. By splitting the funding for affiliates of both Task Forces, we could receive “*up to*” \$604,210 to support affiliate task force members, in addition to the “*up to*” amount of \$1,450,000 for the Southern Virginia ICAC Task Force main office.

This would give the SOVA-ICAC Task Force an actual potential maximum of \$2,054,210 from non-general funds, if the fund generated enough via fees collected, for both the main office and affiliate member agencies.

Using this adjusted number of \$2,054,210, and adding it to the \$1,646,547 from general funds, would provide a maximum of \$3,700,757 for the Southern Virginia ICAC Task Force and its affiliate agencies.

The actual collected fees that would supply the non-general funds were significantly lower than the “*up to*” amount provided in the budget. Actual amounts collected were \$899,432 out of the \$1,450,000 amount, a difference of \$550,568. Funds to support affiliates amounted to \$374,763 collected, a difference of \$229,477 less.

This is an approximate **38% reduction** in projected funds, while all operating expenses and workload are increasing across the board.

During this reporting period, we used some savings from prior years to cover the shortfall in funding, and to cover increased costs this last year.

PERSONNEL

Funding in the Personnel category was allocated to pay salaries and benefits of core SOVA-ICAC personnel. Core SOVA-ICAC personnel operate out of the SOVA-ICAC office in Forest, Virginia, located within the confines of Bedford County, Virginia. ICAC personnel are employed by the Bedford County Sheriff's Office, or affiliates who have assigned investigators to work full-time out of the SOVA-ICAC main office. The staff is comprised of a Captain assigned as the Task Force Commander, a Lieutenant, three Sergeants, an accounting specialist, two CyberTip Managers, and Investigators. The investigative team is composed of two units, Criminal Investigations and Digital Forensics. In the Investigation's Unit, there is currently one sergeant, and six investigators, with one vacancy. Currently, one investigator position is reserved for affiliate agencies to assign

an investigator to the main SOVA-ICAC HQ office (with funding for this position allocated out of affiliate funding). This position is currently being filled by an investigator from Campbell County Sheriff's Office. In the Digital Forensics' examiner unit, there is currently one sergeant, and three forensic investigators, with one examiner vacancy. This is in addition to a vacant position for our Administrative Sergeant. On-call and overtime pay for ICAC supervisors and investigators was also paid from this funding.

EQUIPMENT/SERVICES

Funding in the equipment and services category is used to purchase equipment or services used solely by ICAC personnel to support the mission of investigating child sexual exploitation cases and prevent and/or educate on child sexual exploitation. Examples of expenses included the following:

- Replacement Vehicles
- Keeper Security software
- Parallels software license
- Mental Health Wellness Checks
- Building Cameras
- Backpacks
- Docking Stations
- Laptops
- Monitors
- Flash Drives
- Surge Protectors
- USB Splitters
- UC Chat Tool (Apple)
- Palo Alto
- Sumuri (Recon 1TR Renewal)
- Filters
- CloudFit (Commercial Engineering & Monthly Usage)
- Carahsoft (Renewal Digital Evidence)
- EPlus (Managed Services & VmWare Sphere)
- MSAB – XRY Office Pro Software

SUPPLIES, TRAINING and OTHER EXPENSES

Many of our monthly recurring costs such as electric service, gas service, cellular phone contracts, copier and postage costs, alarm and building services and Internet communications services are paid for with federal funding. Supply expenses include the following:

- Task Force Uniforms
- Air Filters
- Office supplies (calendars, white board markers, staples, labels, tape, etc.)
- Prime membership (savings for free shipping on items/supplies)
- Training books/manuals
- Online training/development course access
- Travel expenses for training and conference related travel, as well as training and conference registration fees
 - Techno Conference
 - DOJ Financial Training (Advanced & Basic)
 - Dallas ICAC Conference
 - Seattle ICAC Conference
 - Human Trafficking
 - NCMEC Roundtable
 - IT Tech
 - Cybertips for Analysts
 - FL ICAC Conference
 - Magnet Forensics Training Pass
 - CASC ICAC Training
 - FBI Leeda Conference
 - WI ICAC Conference
 - CARE Center Conference
 - XRY Certificate Training
- Travel expenses related to SW/evidence collection around the Commonwealth
- Batteries
- Annual mental wellness assessment for each member of the main office ICAC unit

BUDGETARY SOVA-ICAC AFFILIATES

	BUDGET	ACTUAL COLLECTED FUND	EXPENDITURES	BALANCE
Total	\$604,210.00	\$374,762.50	\$370,388.66	\$4,373.84

Funding for affiliates was used for the purpose of Personnel (\$193,464), Travel/Training (\$60,705), and Equipment/Services (\$116,219) expenditures. The approved budget language allocated \$604,210 for affiliates of each Task Force in Virginia (total of \$1,208,420 split between both Task Forces, each year). This is based on COV 17.1-275.12, which allocates 27.7777% of the collected fees each year, to be split between the two Task Forces for their affiliate members. Due to knowledge from previous years that collected fees were not enough to generate this full amount, and that shortfalls were covered by collected fee surpluses in earlier years, we anticipated the surplus funds would no longer be available for affiliate funding, starting sometime in 2025 or 2026. Due to this, we did not seek to spend every last dollar budgeted, knowing that any balance under this budget year would remain and be applied for the next year. In June of 2025, we were notified by DCJS that the funds collected generated total funding for affiliates in the amount of \$749,527, a drop of over \$100,000 from the prior year. This was approximately \$458,893 less than the \$1,208,420 needed for each Task Force to receive the full \$604,210 allocated in the budget. Split between the two ICAC Task Forces in Virginia, the \$749,527 in collected fees will provide approximately \$374,762 per Task Force. This is approximately \$229,448 in reduced funding, or a 38% reduction. This will continue to severely impact supporting the affiliate members of the Task Force, in the upcoming year.

PERSONNEL

Funds were allocated to reimburse for time worked by SOVA-ICAC affiliates. The 194 affiliated agencies with SOVA-ICAC employ these staff members, and funds are used to reimburse them for overtime work performed for ICAC investigations. Funding for one affiliate position for full-time assignment to the SOVA-ICAC main task force office comes out of this funding as well. This position continues to be filled by an investigator from the Campbell County Sheriff's Office.

TRAVEL/TRAINING

Funding in the travel category is used to train and educate the members of our 186 affiliates and equip them to continue their investigations to locate those individuals who prey upon and exploit our children and secure the evidence needed to bring them to trial. Training examples included:

Intro to ICAC Training

ICAC Investigative Techniques
Dallas ICAC Conference
Cybertips for Analysts
CIIFER
VA Beach Conference
Strategic Law Enforcement Interview Course
FL ICAC Conference
Magnet Conference
GK200 Conference
Cryptocurrency Seminar
GE200 Griffey Examinations

EQUIPMENT/SERVICES

Funding in the equipment and services category is used to purchase equipment used by the SOVA-ICAC affiliates to investigate child sexual exploitation cases, and to prevent and/or educate on child sexual exploitation. We also are continuing is mental health services being provided to all Task Force Affiliates through a program called Impact First Responders (IFR). IFR is comprised of mental health clinicians trained in the unique needs of first responders, and the cumulative trauma that first responders develop. Counseling and resiliency services are provided, to help develop and implement strategies for handling trauma and thriving professionally and personally. This is to create longevity and wellness in ICAC investigators. Task Force members can contact a clinician “off-grid” and receive six (6) free sessions per year. If additional sessions are determined to be needed by the Task Force Member and their clinician, the Task Force is billed for those additional sessions, in a way that protects the identity of the Task Force member utilizing the services. This was done to remove roadblocks and perceived stigma for seeking services. Session can be in person or remote/online. In addition, the program includes the development and training of a certified peer support team of ICAC investigators, that other Task Force members can also reach out. Funds were expended to purchase needed investigative equipment and to acquire or renew software licensing for affiliate investigators, and included items such as:

Hard Drives / Storage drives
Samsung Galaxy Tablets
Cellebrite License
Forensic Workstations
Synology 5-Bay Disk Station
Cyacomb Examiner Plus Renewal
Desktop Computers
Monitors
Passware Kit Forensic
Laptops
Surface Docks

Computer peripherals
Plaud Note Voice Recorders
MSAB XRY Licenses

**Southern Virginia Internet Crimes Against Children Task Force SOVA ICAC
Enforcement Activities**

July 1, 2025, through June 30, 2026

Prevention Activities

Presentations

Number of Presentations	124
Number of Attendees	5,352

Diversion Activities

Diversion Activities (Count)	36
Estimated Number of Participants at Diversion Activities	51

Public Events

Number of Public Events	66
Other Outreach (PSA's, Media Interviews, Social Media, etc.)	22

Documented Complaints

Citizen Complaints	342
Referrals Received (i.e., other agencies' referrals)	1,075
Cybertips received from NCMEC	29,939

Case information

Investigations	Resulting from complaints/Cybertips (reactive)	5,426
	Self-Initiated Investigations (proactive)	305
Arrests	Total number of Arrests	336
	Number of Arrests of Hands-on Offenders	35
Number of CVIP submissions (cases)		52

Victims

Child victims rescued from on-going abuse	20
Newly identified child victims with images	145
Newly identified child victims without images	76

Court Actions

Prosecutions	Submitted for state/local prosecution	264
	Submitted for federal prosecution	11
	Accepted for state/local prosecution	210
	Accepted for federal prosecution	6
Subpoenas/Court Orders	State/local	3,286
	Federal	596
Search Warrants	State/local	2,199
	Federal	22

Digital Forensics

Number of forensic exams on computers	346
Number of forensic exams on cell phones/tablets (combined)	1,571
Number of forensic exams on other digital storage devices (thumb drives, SD Cards, CD/DVDs, external hard drives, etc.)	2,180
Estimated number of Gigabytes Examined	701,774

Training

Personnel Sent to training

Sent to training conducted by ICAC Task Forces	70
Sent to ICAC T&TA Training conducted by OJJDP funded providers	94
Sent to other ICAC skills related training	87

Personnel trained by discipline

Law Enforcement	574
Prosecutors	53
Other professions	71

Technical Assists

Technical assists/Investigative support (For ICAC Lead and Affiliate Agencies)	866
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A few cases of interest during this reporting period include the following:

Radford, VA:

As part of a larceny investigation, a patrol officer had obtained a search warrant for the larceny suspect's phone. When reviewing the forensic report, officers immediately observed CSAM

involving prepubescent children. They stopped and immediately obtained another search warrant for the CSAM. Suspect was charged with 48 counts of possession of CSAM (1 first offense, and 47 second or subsequent offenses) and was found guilty on all charges by a jury. Sentencing is pending. The suspect was a registered sex offender

Chesapeake, VA

Peter Alvich, 47, was arrested by Chesapeake Police Department in October 2025, as the result of an investigation off a Cybertip that was referred to them. The Cybertip had been reported by a cloud storage provider. Once they obtained the legal process return with an address for the suspect, they executed a search warrant. During the search warrant execution, they discovered Alvich had been sexually abusing a toddler he had access to. Alvich was arrested on the scene.

Hanover, VA

Due to a Cybertip that had been referred to them, Hanover County Sheriff's Office investigators began investigating a suspect for the possession and distribution of CSAM. The investigation eventually identified the suspect as Brian Martin, 43, of Mechanicsville, VA. Martin was arrested on several charges involving both the distribution and possession of CSAM. Martin was employed as a firefighter with Henrico County Fire Department for 13 years.

Franklin County, VA:

As a result of an investigation based on a Cybertip report, Franklin County Sheriff's Office investigators executed a search warrant in Glad Hill, VA. The NCMEC analyst report indicated it appeared the suspect may be producing CSAM. Colton Kennedy was arrested, and during the interview, admitted to producing CSAM with two victims under the age of 5 years old. He had been producing the CSAM to trade with other users on Kik. This case led to the identification of another suspect, Maxwell Slater, 24, who was arrested and charged by Iowa authorities.

Campbell County, VA:

After receiving a Cybertip from the SOVA-ICAC Task Force, the Campbell County Sheriff's Office identified Gregory Odgen, Jr, 19yo, as the primary suspect. Odgen was subsequently arrested on 10 felony counts of possession of child pornography, and 1 count of production of child pornography, and 2 counts of sexual abuse of an animal.

Chesterfield County, VA:

Two teachers have been charged with CSAM charges and were communicating with each other as part of their criminal acts. The case began when security at a local mall called police about a man taking pictures of a child in a restroom. Officers found Shaun Adams, 49, at the movie theaters, and he willingly went with them to the police station and gave them consent to search his phone. Officers found the image of the child in the deleted folder of the phone's camera roll. After further investigation, Adams was charged with 25 counts of producing child pornography, and 5 counts of indecent liberties with a child.

After Adams' arrest, Chesterfield Police received a tip about Richard Troshak III, 33, and messages between Adams and Troshak were also located on Adams' phone. They were also found to be sending messages to underage children that were prior students of both men. Troshak was subsequently arrested on 8 counts of production of child pornography and two counts of indecent liberties with a child.

Both men were seen in media depicting boys under 13 years old engaging in sex acts with Adams and/or Troshak present. They had previously worked together at a daycare center in Chesterfield County.

Newport News, VA:

In December 2025, Jamar Miguel Davis, 24, was arrested and charged with second-degree murder, shooting into an occupied dwelling, and use of a firearm in the commission of a felony, connected to the death of a 15-year-old male, Jacari Oakes. During a search of his phone related to that investigation, investigators located CSAM and was subsequently charged with 5 counts of possession of child pornography. At least one file depicted the abuse of an infant by an adult male.

Caroline County:

In June 2026, Caroline County Sheriff's Office arrested Donte Antonio Howard, 38, on six felony warrants involving the sexual exploitation of children. The case began as a Cybertip report received by NCMEC, which indicated possible production and selling of CSAM by the reported suspect. Two minor victims were identified because of this investigation.

Charges included offenses involving production of child pornography; distribution of child pornography; possession of child pornography; and using an online communications system to commit certain offenses against children. Additional charges may be coming pending completion of the forensic examination of seized devices.

Bedford County, VA

Investigators with Bedford County Sheriff's Office arrested Dale Solon, 56, in May of 2026, as part of an investigation into the online sexual exploitation of children. Solon was arrested on three (3) counts of distributing child pornography, and three (3) counts of possession of child pornography. The investigation was part of an operation targeting offenders using file sharing networks to distribute child pornography. During the initial investigation, Solon was observed with over 1,000 files of interest related to child pornography.

Virginia Beach, VA

In March of 2026, Zachary Teall, 36, was arrested by the Virginia Beach Police Department on thirty (30) charges related to child sexual abuse, including more than ten (10) counts of production of child pornography. At the time of his arrest, Teall had been employed by the Virginia Beach Fire Department for ten years, and held the rank of Captain

Albemarle County, VA:

In March 2026, investigators with the Albemarle County Police Department arrested Nicholas Clark, 29, on charges related to possessing and distributing child pornography. This case stemmed from a Cybertip that was sent to their agency, as a member of the Southern Virginia ICAC Task Force. Clark was employed as a 5th grade teacher at a local elementary school at the time of his arrest.

Lynchburg, VA:

In March of 2026, Lynchburg Police arrested Derek Beard, 26, on multiple charges including creation of an unlawful image of another; production of child pornography; use of a computer to commit sexual crimes against children; possession of child pornography; and creation of an unlawful image of a minor.

This case began when a complaint was made by a customer of a Dick's Sporting Goods store, who found a hidden recording device in a women's changing room. The investigation quickly identified Beard as the suspect, and he was located and detained the same day.

Further investigation indicated he is also suspected of installing hidden recording devices in changing rooms and bathrooms at Kohl's, TJ Maxx, Target, Plato's Closet, Mission Thrift, Millie's Café, and the Muse Coffee Company.

Virginia Beach, VA:

The Virginia Beach Police Department arrested Dustin Coffman, 30, on ten (10) counts of possession of child pornography, in March of 2026. At the time of his arrest, Coffman was a

firefighter with the Newport News Fire Department, where he had been employed since 2023.

Henry County, VA:

In May 2026, Henry County investigators executed a search warrant and subsequently arrested Joseph Greer, 45, for ten (10) felony counts of possession of child pornography. The continuing investigation then led investigators to bring additional charges on Greer involving aggravated sexual battery and indecent liberties with a child. This case began via a Cybertip from the SOVA-ICAC Task Force.

Staunton, VA:

Bruce Cason, 33, of Staunton was charged with eighteen (18) counts of possession and distribution of child pornography, and one count of bestiality. These charges stemmed from a Cybertip they received through the Southern Virginia ICAC Task Force, in July of 2025. Cason was located, with the assistance of the US Marshalls Fugitive Task Force, in Amarillo, TX, and was subsequently extradited back to Virginia.