



Washington County Sheriff's Office

TREY HOLLEWAY
Sheriff

CLIFTON BELLARD
Chief Deputy

Washington County Sheriff's Office
Washington County Jail
Notice of Disciplinary Action

Department: Jail Transport

Name: Billy Ruemke

Job Title: Transport Deputy

Supervisors: Sgt. Tashuna Byrd

Date of Violation: May 22, 2025

Type of violation for which disciplinary action is to be taken: Policy # 4.11 Transporting Arrested Persons; Transporting Guidelines: #7 Detainees may not be left unattended during transport. Policy 2.15 Rules of Conduct; Section 2 Attention to Duty, Officers and employees are to be attentive to their duties at all times.

Narrative:

On 5/22/25, Deputy Billy Ruemke failed in his duties by leaving an inmate unattended in a transport vehicle outside the courthouse.

Disciplinary Action Taken: Placed on paid leave during the course of the investigation.

Effective Date of Disciplinary Action: May, 29, 2025

Employee's Signature: Billy W Ruemke May, 28, 2025

Supervisor's Signature: [Signature] May, 28, 2025

Administrator's Signature: [Signature] May, 28, 2025

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