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**COLORADO COUNTY SHERIFF'S REPORT**

Friday, Oct. 9, at 10:15 a.m., Deputy Schmidt responded to a call concerning a juvenile threatening a teacher at the Columbus Elementary School. The juvenile was issued a citation for assault Class C.

At 11:15 a.m., Deputy Pavlicek responded to a call concerning a dog bite in Weimar.

At 5 p.m., Deputy Lacourse responded to a call concerning reckless driving on Hwy. 90A. There is one suspect at this time.

Saturday, Oct. 10, at 4:10 p.m., Deputy Lacourse responded to a call concerning a theft on Strickland Lane. The complainant reported that a small piggy bank containing approximately \$30 in nickles was stolen.

At 7:30 p.m., Deputies Peikert and Kellogg arrested Charles E. Cowling, 39, of Weimar for an outstanding warrant for aggravated kidnapping.

At 11 p.m., Deputy Zermeno observed a vehicle parked in the roadway on Strickland Lane. After verbal consent was obtained Deputy Zermeno located a weapon in the vehicle. Dwight D. Taylor, 28, of Wharton was arrested for unlawfully carrying a weapon.

Sunday, Oct. 11, at 12:59 a.m., Deputy Peikert responded to a call concerning criminal mischief and deadly conduct at FM 2434. The complainant reported that children had thrown a rock through the vehicle window.

At 2:06 a.m., Deputies Zermeno and Peikert and Trooper Owens from the Department of Public Safety responded to a call concerning a disturbance on Old Nada Road. Allen K. Watlington, 41, of Nada and one juvenile were arrested for family violence assault Class A.

At 2:15 p.m., Deputy Pavlicek met with a complainant at the sheriff's department concerning criminal mischief. The complainant reported damage done to her vehicle. There is one suspect at this time.

At 5:16 p.m., Deputy Pavlicek and Sgt. Lacourse responded to a call concerning a suspicious vehicle on Kansteiner Road. After further investigation the driver, Thomas Candiotto, 39, of Louisiana was arrested for possession of controlled substance and possession of drug paraphernalia.

At 7:34 p.m., Deputy Peikert responded to a call concerning a criminal mischief in Glidden. The complainant reported that they discovered a bedroom window had been broken.

At 8:19 p.m., Deputy Zermeno responded to a call concerning an assault in progress on Garden Lane. Alvin D. Pavlicek, 39, of Columbus was arrested for family violence assault Class A.

Monday, Oct. 12, at 1:48 a.m., Deputy Zermeno located a subject staggering on Hwy. 71 south. Marcelino Martinez, 27, of Dallas was arrested for public intoxication.

At 6:45 p.m., Deputy Kellogg was advised by Game Warden Bruce Fike that a dead exotic deer had been found on Cat Spring Road.

Tuesday, Oct. 13, at 6 a.m., Deputies Rebel and Kellogg responded to a call concerning an abandoned vehicle in the roadway on FM 102. The vehicle was impounded for safe keeping.

At 11:34 a.m., Deputy Schmidt responded to a call concerning a fight at Rice High School. One juvenile was arrested for assault Class A (2 counts) and three students were cited for disorderly conduct.

At 3 p.m., Deputy Benavides responded to a call concerning a suspicious person on FM 1291.

At 10:35 p.m., Sgt. Neisner responded to a call concerning a possible intoxicated driver on I-10 near the 684 mile marker. The driver, Adam M. Campos Jr., 34, of Houston was arrested for driving while intoxicated.

Wednesday, Oct. 14, at 4:50 a.m., Deputy Kellogg responded to a call concerning an inquest on County Road 2-104.

At 1:55 p.m., Deputy Rebel responded to a call concerning suspect(s) damaging a complainant's gate on Zimmerscheit Road. The case is pending further investigation.

Thursday, Oct. 15, at 9:40 a.m., Deputy Schmidt responded to a call concerning a possible harassment. After further investigation, one juvenile was issued a citation for disorderly conduct.

At 7:12 p.m., Deputy Peikert initiated a traffic stop on Front Street in Columbus for minor traffic violations. The driver, Jason P. Reynolds, 19, of Columbus was arrested for driving while intoxicated and one passenger was cited for minor in possession of alcohol.

Friday, Oct. 16, at 10:46 a.m., Deputy Schmidt responded to a call concerning a disruptive student at the Boot Camp School. The juvenile was issued a citation for disruption of classes.

At 11 a.m., Deputy Lacourse responded to a call concerning a possible terrorist threat in Sheridan. A probable cause affidavit was prepared and a warrant issued. Jack R. Garza, 31, of Sheridan was arrested for terrorist threat.

At 12:45 p.m., Chief Deputy Schleider met with a complainant at the sheriff's department concerning a theft near Eagle Lake. The complainant reported that approximately \$1,000 in tools was taken without effective consent.

At 8:12 p.m., Deputy Zermeno responded to a call concerning a theft in Rock Island. The complainant reported that a gray toolbox with various tools was stolen.

Saturday, Oct. 17, at 3:45 p.m., Deputy Pavlicek initiated a traffic stop on Hwy. 71 near Richter Road. The driver Kelton D. Hutchings, 22, of Austin was arrested for outstanding warrants from Travis County.

Sunday, Oct. 18, 10:43 p.m., Deputies Peikert and Zermeno and Sgt. Neisner responded to a call concerning a possible disturbance on Annette Drive. It was determined that no family violence had occurred, only a verbal dispute.

Monday, Oct. 19, at 12:25 a.m., Deputy Zermeno assisted Eagle Lake Police Department with a call concerning an intoxicated male on Davitt Street. Ramiro Rico, 21, of Eagle Lake was arrested for an outstanding warrant for retaliation.

At 3:25 p.m., Deputy Pavlicek responded to a call concerning reckless damage or destruction on Business 71. The complainant reported that subject(s) had damaged his mailbox.

At 10:06 a.m., Deputies Zermeno and Peikert observed two intoxicated suspects in the roadway. Junell D. McDaniel, 54, and Stacy L. Bowling, 34, both of Channelview were arrested for public intoxication.

Tuesday, Oct. 20, at 2:30 p.m., Deputy Schmidt responded to a call at the Columbus High School concerning a criminal trespass. The suspect was issued a warning citation and advised not to go onto the Columbus High School property.

At 3:30 p.m., Deputy Rebel responded to a call concerning a felony theft and fraud in Garwood. The complainant reported that a subject was selling memberships without any authority.

At 7 p.m., Chief Deputy Schleider and Deputy Schmidt concluded the investigation of an aggravated sexual assault of a child by obtaining a confession from the suspect. The case will be referred to the grand jury.

Wednesday, Oct. 21, at 11:15 a.m., Deputy Benavides responded to a call concerning a terrorist threat. Charges have been filed against the suspect and a warrant is being issued for his arrest.

At 4:30 p.m., Deputy Benavides met with a complainant concerning a theft and criminal trespass on County Road 275. The complainant reported that three rod and reels were stolen.

Thursday, Oct. 22, at 10 a.m., Deputy Benavides responded to a call concerning a criminal mischief and trespass on County Road 106. Case pending the arrest for the suspect by warrant.

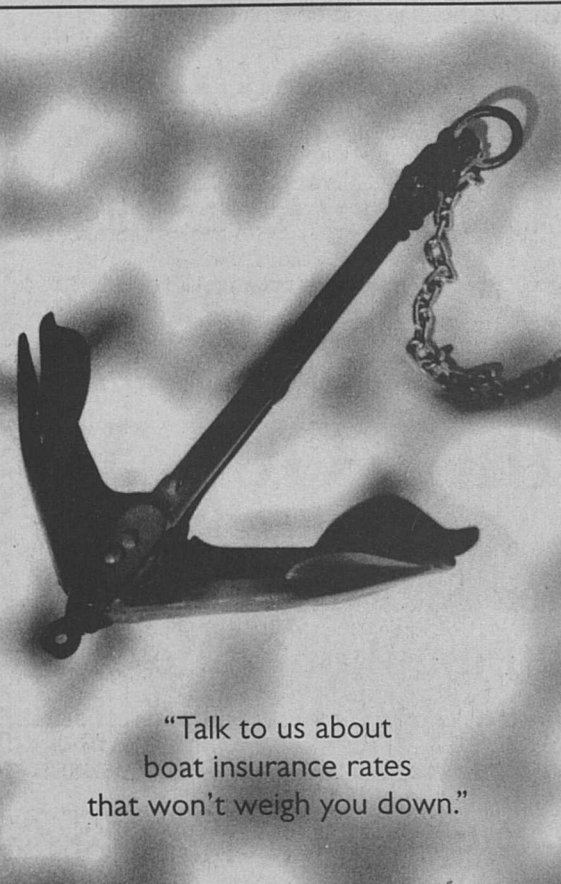
At 2:46 p.m., Deputy Benavides responded to a call of family violence in Alleyton. Case pending further investigation.

At 6:39 p.m., Deputies Edman and Kellogg responded to a call concerning family violence on Hwy. 71 south of FM 109. Amber R. Stevens, 19, of Columbus and one juvenile were arrested for family violence assault Class A.

At 9:05 p.m., Sgt. Neisner responded to a call concerning a raccoon bite on County Road 106-B.

Friday, Oct. 23, Chief Deputy Schleider presented nine cases to the grand jury. All cases were returned by the grand jury as indictments.

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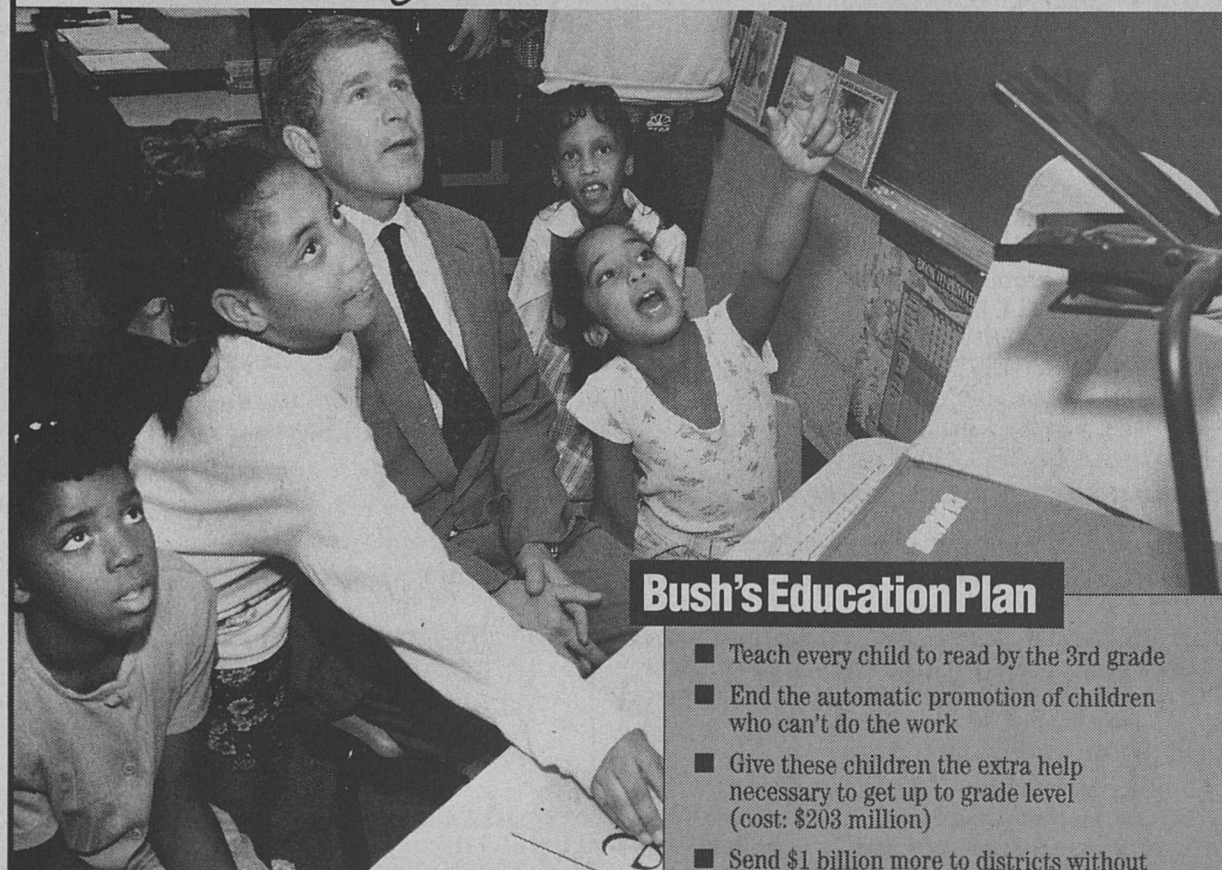
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**Bush's Education Plan**

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- End the automatic promotion of children who can't do the work
- Give these children the extra help necessary to get up to grade level (cost: \$203 million)
- Send \$1 billion more to districts without strings to use as they see fit—for teacher pay raises or more teachers
- Build more classrooms by having the state spend \$200 million to help pay the debt costs of \$3 billion in bonds for new school construction.
- Expand after-school programs for at-risk middle school kids (\$25 million)
- Expand the Advanced Placement Program (\$18 million)
- Pay for new textbooks, geared to Texas' new back-to-basics reading curriculum (\$166 million)

"Last year, more than 40,000 students failed the 3rd grade minimum skills reading test. And you know what happened to them? Most were passed to the 4th grade."

**"It's unacceptable so many children can't read."**

"What they need is extra help."

"We're going to test our children early to make sure they can read. If they can't, we'll give them extra help to catch up and more chances to pass the test."

"State government should pick up the extra cost of this early intervention — \$203 million — but leave it to local districts to decide what programs to bring these kids up to grade level."

"There is no question that when our children learn to read, the math scores will go up, the science scores will go up, and the discipline problems will go down."

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through the Houston-Galveston Area Council (H-GAC) during its meeting Monday morning, Oct. 26.

According to County Judge Vince Slominski, the items for which the County might seek funds, if they should become available, must be listed on the plan for the County to be considered for any applications.

The plan was jointly developed by Slominski, Colorado County Juvenile Probation Department and members of various youth/service agencies throughout the County.

Listed as "gaps in services" that would enhance the community plan if funding were to become available were:

- Adequate resources to provide enhanced communications equipment and train certified law enforcement dispatchers;

- Victim Assistance Program with the monies used particularly for domestic violence and sexual assault victims;

- Residential and outpatient substance abuse treatment for juveniles;

- Adequate resources for a full-time juvenile/adult investigator for the county attorney's office; and

- Youth activities centers to provide structured activities after school.

Among the projects currently being funded by the Criminal Justice Department (CJD) benefiting Colorado County are the School Resource Officer Program, 25th Judicial District Narcotics Task Force and juvenile probation monies for detention costs and services for juveniles under the supervision of the County's probation department.

The Court awarded a contract to the University of Texas Medical Branch (UTMB) for indigent health care services at a cost of \$78,000 per year. It was noted by Slominski that the contract has earned the county some \$478,500 to date in 1998 in services received from UTMB.

At the request of Precinct 1 Commissioner Richard Seifert, the Court set Nov. 13 at 9 a.m. for a public hearing to consider lowering the speed limit on Schulenburg Lane from U.S. Highway 90 to the Interstate 10 feeder road from 45 miles per hour to 30 mph.

In other agenda items in regard to the County roadways, the Court did not take any action on Carole Bunge Halla's request to change the name of County Road 260 to Caroleta Road and also close a portion of it. Halla's letter to Precinct 2 Commissioner Johnnie Elstner requested that the north half of the County road, where she owns land on both sides, be closed.

It is the County's policy that all the property owners along County Road 260 would have to be in agreement of the name change and closing. In addition, the Court planned to notify Halla that she must submit a petition in regard to her request before any such (See Funds, Page 14)