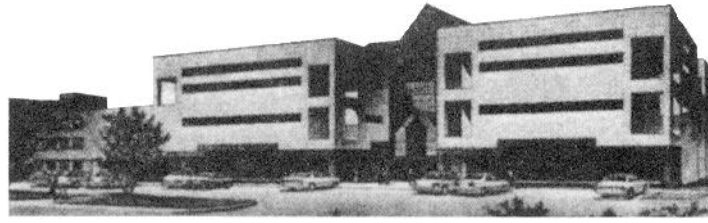




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### ***News Release***

***February 18, 2025***

### ***Stalking Investigation***

On Monday, February 17, 2025, the City of Waukesha Police Department requested the Waukesha County Sheriff's Office investigate a stalking complaint involving a City of Waukesha Alderman.

A former girlfriend of Alderman Cory Payne reported he has been harassing her for several weeks, he knew her whereabouts, and would not stop contacting her. Based upon the initial investigation, Payne was booked into the Waukesha County Jail for stalking pursuant to Wisconsin statute 940.32. This investigation is ongoing at this time.

**Lieutenant Nicholas Wenzel  
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