# **Registered Sex Offender Notifications & Resources**

The Federal Way Police Department partners with the King County Sheriff's Office to monitor Registered Sex Offenders (RSOs) and kidnapping offenders in accordance with RCW 4.24.550. This resource guide is intended to help community members access accurate, up-to-date information and sign up for public safety notifications.

## **How to Stay Informed**

Level 2, Level 3, and registered kidnapping offenders are listed publicly on websites managed by King County and the Washington Association of Sheriffs and Police Chiefs (WASPC). Citizens can also download a mobile app to receive automatic notifications when a published offender moves into their area.

## **Important Websites**

### King County Sheriff's Office - Sex Offender Registration:

https://kingcounty.gov/en/dept/sheriff/courts-jails-legal-system/sheriff-services/sex-offender-registration

WASPC Sex Offender Search: https://www.waspc.org/sex-offender-information

#### Search Published Offenders & Sign Up for Alerts:

https://sheriffalerts.com/cap\_office\_disclaimer.php?office=54473&fwd=aHR0cDovL3d3dy5pY3JpbWV3YXRjaC5uZXQvaW5kZXgucGhwP0FnZW5jeUIEPTU0NDcz

#### **Get Mobile Notifications**

Download the OffenderWatch Safe Virtual Neighborhood App to receive alerts about registered sex offenders moving near your home, school, or workplace. The app is available for free on both Apple and Android devices. Search for 'Offender Watch Parent' in your app store.

#### **Additional Information**

Registered sex offenders are classified based on their assessed risk to the community (Level 1 - Low, Level 2 - Moderate, Level 3 - High). Community notification varies based on the offender's risk level and compliance with registration laws. Local law enforcement agencies have discretion to release relevant and necessary information when it is needed to protect public safety.