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SPD Makes Additional Arrests in Ongoing Crackdown on Squatting



David Bozeman, Phillip Smith and James Smith

The Shreveport Police Department continues its ongoing efforts to combat unlawful squatting within the city. On June 8, 2025, officers arrested David Bozeman for squatting at a local residence without the owner's permission.

This arrest follows the June 6, 2025, arrests of Phillip Smith and James Smith, both charged with squatting at separate locations.

The Shreveport Police Department remains committed to addressing illegal occupation of property and ensuring that residents and property owners feel safe and secure in their communities.

Shreveport Police want to make it clear that squatting will not be tolerated in Shreveport. These arrests are part of our ongoing effort to hold offenders accountable and to protect property owners' rights.

Citizens are encouraged to report suspicious activity to the Shreveport Police Department at 318-673-7300 or contact Caddo Crime Stoppers at 318-673-7373.