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Shreveport Police Continue Proactive Enforcement Against Squatting Offenses



The Shreveport Police Department remains committed to addressing quality-of-life issues in our community, including the ongoing problem of squatting and squatter-related offenses. Our officers have been actively enforcing the city's new squatting ordinance to ensure neighborhoods remain safe and secure.

- August 26, 2025 – Officers arrested Kahlis Smith on outstanding trespassing warrants. He was also charged with one count of *Entering and Remaining*.
- August 27, 2025 – Officers arrested Gerald Pete, charging him with two counts under the city's squatting ordinance. On the same day, Robert Craig was also taken into custody for violating the squatting ordinance.
- August 28, 2025 – Officers arrested both Kenneth Angeletti and Hunter Boone for violations of the squatting ordinance.
- September 1, 2025 – Officers arrested Cedric Wilson for squatting. In addition, Wilson was found to have warrants for nine other offenses.

The Shreveport Police Department will continue proactive enforcement of trespassing and squatting laws to protect property owners and preserve the safety of our neighborhoods.