



College Place Police Department

Media Release

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On August 11, 2017 the College Place Police Department arrested a 23 year old College Place resident for suspicion of Arson. The 23 year old male is believed to be connected to six different fires within the city of College Place. An investigation has been ongoing since September 2016 and believed to be connected with the most recent grass fire that occurred on Birch Ave August 3, 2017.

The suspect was arrested today without incident and booked into Walla Walla Corrections where he is being held on suspicion of Arson. Chief Tomaras commends Detective Maidment for his investigation and says "It's my hope the arrest will provide our community comfort knowing the arsonist is finally in custody".