

Cass County Sheriff's Office

Fact Sheet

NOTIFICATION OF RELOCATION IN MINNESOTA

RISK LEVEL THREE

In addition to level two notification, law enforcement may notify other members of the community whom the registrant is likely to encounter.

The *Cass County Sheriff's Office* is available to provide you with useful information on personal safety. The *Cass County Sheriff's Office* may be reached at 218-547-1424. To report criminal activity by this registrant or any other individual, please call 911.

DUSTIN GENE AYRES

DOB: 05/03/1982

OID: 211953

Race: White

Height: 5' 11"

Weight: 229 lbs.

Eyes: Hazel

Hair: Blonde or Strawberry



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Registration Statute(s): 609.345 (charge); 609.343

Investigating Agency: Benton County Sheriff's Office, Isanti County Sheriff's Office

Release Date: 08/01/2018

Supervision Agent: Not Applicable - Sentence Expired

Offense: Dustin Ayres engaged in sexual contact with a known female child and a known female teen on separate occasions. Contact included sexual touching. Ayres gained access to the female teen by entering her residence without permission and took advantage of her vulnerable state to gain compliance.

Address: Vicinity of Bigwater Drive Southwest, rural Pillager, MN 56473

Date of Address Change: 06/09/2023

The *Cass County Sheriff's Office* is releasing this information pursuant to Minnesota Statutes 244.052 and 253D. These statutes authorize law enforcement agencies to inform the public of a public registrant's release from prison or a secure treatment facility when the *Cass County Sheriff's Office* believes that the release of information will enhance public safety and protection.

The individual who appears on this notification has been convicted of Criminal Sexual Conduct or another offense that requires registration with law enforcement pursuant to Minnesota Statutes 243.166 or 243.167.

This individual *has served the sentence* imposed on them by the court and is transitioning into the community. This notification is not intended to increase fear but rather raise awareness. Law enforcement believes that an informed public is a safer public.

The *Cass County Sheriff's Office* may not direct where this individual does or does not reside, nor can this agency direct where he/she works or goes to school.

Those convicted of sexual or predatory offenses have always been released to live in our communities. It was not until the passage of the Registration Act that law enforcement had an ability to track movement of these individuals after their initial release. With the passage of the Community Notification Act law enforcement may now share information about many of these individuals with the public. Abuse of this information to threaten, harass or intimidate a registered individual is unacceptable and such acts could be charged as a crime. Such abuses could potentially end the ability of law enforcement to provide these notifications.