



## **Fayette County Sheriff's Office**

**Wayne Hannah, Sheriff**

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### **Press Information**

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Fayette County Sheriff's Office Investigators made an arrest on February 7 in connection with a cruelty to children case which occurred on February 4, 2012. Investigators have arrested Jamal Thomas, 20, of Fayetteville and charged him Cruelty to Children in the 1<sup>st</sup> Degree.

This case involves Thomas causing physical injury to his (9) week old infant son. Thomas is currently in the Fayette County Jail where he is being held without bond. Investigators are not commenting on the extent of the injuries the infant received in this case due to it being an active investigation.

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Fayette County Sheriff's Office Investigators made an arrest on February 3, 2012 in connection with a theft case which occurred on November 5, 2011. Investigators have arrested Jonathan Charles Vaughn, 32, of Fayetteville and charged him (5) five counts of Theft by Taking, (2) two counts of Theft by Deception and (2) two counts of Possession of a Firearm by a Convicted Felon.

This case involves Vaughn stealing several firearms from a family member's home inside Fayette County. Vaughn later pawned the stolen guns at several Clayton County pawn shops. Vaughn is a convicted felon and was charged for possessing the firearms during this incident. The recovered stolen guns were returned to the victim in this case.