

Sheriff



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NIXLE PUBLIC SAFETY ALERTS **NOW AVAILABLE FROM OCSO**

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“Stay out of area”- “Suspect now in custody.”- “Child missing in Holt”

A child goes missing or an active shooter threatens a business...within seconds the Okaloosa County Sheriff’s Office can now send out free, secure text or email emergency alerts or advisories directly to citizens.

Nixle is an on-line service that allows the Sheriff’s Office to communicate with citizens in situations involving significant public safety incidents ranging from a missing child or crime in progress to a traffic crash that shuts down an area road.

“It provides multiple benefits to our residents or visitors at no cost,” said Sheriff Larry Ashley. “It is essentially a form of electronic community policing using secure law enforcement terminals. It is free, fast and secure and has no spam or advertising.”

Nixle does not track users and no information is sold to third parties. **It’s currently being used by more than 6000 law enforcement agencies across the U.S. to keep citizens up-to-date on important information.**

Signing up is simple: To register – go to www.Nixle.com

Click “Sign Up Now”

Pick a User Name and Password

Enter an email address or cell phone number

Enter an address or nearby intersection

Click “Sign Me Up Now”.

The Nixle logo  with automatic link to the OCSO Nixle page is also available on the OCSO website at sheriff-okaloosa.org.

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“The Okaloosa County Sheriff’s Office provides equal access and equal opportunity in employment and services and does not discriminate”