



# U.S. Marshals Service Fugitive Task Forces

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## REGIONAL FUGITIVE TASK FORCES

### CATCH OF THE WEEK

WEEK OF JULY 23, 2007

TAKING THE WORST OF THE WORST OFF THE STREETS

#### Great Lakes Regional Fugitive Task Force (GLRFTF)

On July 27, 2007, Katisha Warfield was arrested in Chicago, IL by members of GLRFTF. Authorities in Peoria, IL wanted Warfield for Murder after she, along with other subjects, allegedly lured a man into a narcotics transaction in January 2007. When the victim arrived, Warfield and her associates allegedly shot and killed him. At least two other subjects have already been charged in this case. On July 26, 2007, the Peoria County (IL) State Attorney's Office requested GLRFTF assistance in locating and apprehending Warfield. Investigators developed information indicating that Warfield fled to Chicago, responded to that city, and initiated surveillance at several locations. Early on July 27, investigators observed Warfield, moved in, and safely took her into custody.



**Katisha Warfield**  
Wanted for:  
Murder

#### Capital Area Regional Fugitive Task Force (CARFTF)

On July 25, 2007, Howard Luttrell was arrested in Manassas Park, VA by members of CARFTF. Authorities in Prince William County (VA) wanted Luttrell for Armed Robbery and Malicious Wounding after he allegedly attacked a woman at a motel in Woodbridge, VA on June 20, 2007. During an investigation targeting Luttrell, authorities identified additional information indicating that he attacked another female victim at a hotel in Dumfries, VA. CARFTF investigators, with critical assistance from the Technical Operations Group (TOG), identified Luttrell's location at a home in Manassas Park. CARFTF immediately responded to that residence, observed Luttrell, and safely took him into custody.



**Howard Luttrell**  
Wanted for:  
Armed Robbery &  
Malicious Wounding

#### New York/New Jersey Regional Fugitive Task Force (NY/NJ RFTF)

On July 23, 2007, Jason Marshman, a documented member of the **Bloods** gang, was arrested in Poughkeepsie, NY by members of NY/NJ RFTF, officers from the Poughkeepsie Police Department, and deputy US marshals (DUSMs) from the Western District of Virginia. Authorities have sought Marshman since January 01, 2007, when he allegedly shot and killed a man during a narcotics-related dispute at a Charlottesville, VA apartment complex. During an investigation targeting Marshman, authorities took three of his associates into custody and seized numerous items, including; three handguns, a sawed-off shotgun, several marijuana plants, and a quantity of cocaine. Investigators continued to pursue Marshman, and with critical assistance from the Technical Operations Group (TOG), identified his location in Poughkeepsie. NY/NJ RFTF responded to Marshman's location, observed him walking on a street, and safely took him into custody. Marshman remains in custody pending his return to Virginia.

**Bloods** Gang Member



**Jason Marshman**  
Wanted for:  
Murder

### **Pacific Southwest Regional Fugitive Task Force (PSWRFTF)**

On July 25, 2007, Jorge De Leon was arrested in Bellflower, CA by members of PSWRFTF, deputy US marshals (DUSMs) from the Central District of California, and agents from the United States Secret Service. The Los Angeles, CA Police Department (LAPD) wanted De Leon, a previously deported criminal alien who spent three years in prison for Lewd & Lascivious Acts with a Child, for Aggravated Sexual Assault of a Child, Sexual Abuse of a Child, and Failure to Register as a Sex Offender. These charges relate to De Leon's alleged sexual abuse of a child over a six year period. In June 2007, LAPD contacted PSWRFTF and requested assistance in locating and apprehending De Leon. PSWRFTF investigators, with critical assistance from the Technical Operations Group (TOG), developed information on De Leon's location at a female associate's home in Bellflower. PSWRFTF units responded to that site, moved in, and safely took De Leon into custody as he attempted to flee from the rear of the target residence. De Leon may face additional federal charges under the Adam Walsh Child Protection & Safety Act.



**Jorge De Leon**  
**Wanted for:**  
**Aggravated Sex Assault,**  
**Sex Abuse of a Child,**  
**& Failure to Register**

### **Gulf Coast Regional Fugitive Task Force (GCRFTF)**

On July 27, 2007, Carrie Sanders Lovelace was arrested in Biloxi, MS by members of GCRFTF. Authorities in Harrison County (MS) wanted Lovelace for multiple counts of Kidnapping by a Non-Custodial Parent after she allegedly refused to return three children to their custodial parent after being granted visitation privileges. Local authorities developed information indicating that Lovelace abused prescription drugs and evidenced mental instability. Acting on information received from the public, GCRFTF identified Lovelace's location at a local motel, responded to that site, and safely took her into custody. Incident to Lovelace's arrest, investigators safely recovered all three children. Lovelace had cut all three children's hair and was coloring one child's hair when investigators arrived.



**Carrie Lovelace**  
**Wanted for:**  
**Kidnapping**

### **Southeast Regional Fugitive Task Force (SERFTF)**

On July 27, 2007, Jason Ardis was arrested in Atlanta, GA by members of SERFTF, inspectors from the Technical Operations Group (TOG), and officers from the Atlanta Police Department (APD). The Orleans Parish (LA) Sheriff's Office wanted Ardis for Aggravated Battery, while APD considered him the primary suspect in the shooting death of a nine year old child. The child victim received a fatal gunshot to the head as she sat at a computer in her family's home. Ardis allegedly fired the round as he, along with another subject, attempted to rob a man. SERFTF identified Ardis' location at a residence in Atlanta, responded to that site, and established surveillance. SERFTF personnel requested additional law enforcement assistance after learning that Ardis possessed multiple firearms. After obtaining a search warrant, investigators made entry into the home, and safely took Ardis into custody. Incident to Ardis' arrest, investigators seized two assault rifles and a ballistic vest. Ardis has a lengthy criminal history of arrests for narcotics offenses and Homicide.



**Jason Ardis**  
**Wanted for:**  
**Aggravated Battery**