

# NEWS RELEASE

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August 20, 2019

## Update-Suspect in Wal-Mart Indecency Incident Has Been Arrested

Through the diligent work of our Detectives, and the overwhelming support of our community and media partners, we have identified the suspect in the Wal-Mart groping incidents as 28 year old Ryan Reding of Baytown, Texas.

During the investigation, Detectives learned that Reding could possibly be working offshore in Port Aransas supplying oil rigs with supplies. On August 20, 2019, with the assistance of the United States Coast Guard, Reding was located and detained. Reding was transported back to shore where he was released to Cameron County Sheriff's Office who arrested him on the charge of indecency with a child. Reding was booked into the Cameron County Jail where he will remain until transported back to Montgomery County.

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August 16, 2019

## Update-MCTXSheriff Has Identified Indecency Suspect

Through the diligent work of our Detectives, and the overwhelming support of our community and media partners, we have identified the suspect in the Wal-Mart groping incidents. As a result of the investigation, Detectives have also learned the suspect is possibly linked to similar incidents in surrounding counties. Due to this being an active investigation, the suspects name will not be released at this time. The suspect is currently wanted for indecency with a child.

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## MCTXSheriff Seeking to Identify Indecency Suspect

On August 14, 2019, at about 7:48 pm, the pictured suspect entered Wal-Mart located at 1025 Sawdust Road, Spring, TX. Once inside the store, the suspect inappropriately groped a juvenile female at the greeting card section inside the store. At about 8:55 pm, the suspect then went to the Wal-Mart located at 10001 Woodlands Pkwy, The Woodlands TX where he again inappropriately groped another juvenile female who was getting school supplies. The suspect left the store prior to law enforcement arrival. The suspect was last seen wearing a grey shirt and black shorts and was possibly driving a small red four door passenger car.

If you recognize this suspect or know anything about this crime please contact the Montgomery County Sheriff's Office 936-760-5800 or Crime Stoppers 1-800-392-STOP (7867) and refer to case# 19A262266.

Video of suspect: <https://youtu.be/pryDyiOj3xg>



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