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State Prison Inmate Walks Away from Community Work Center

YANKTON, S.D. – Minimum-security inmate Arthur Eagle Feather walked away from the Yankton Community Work Center Sept. 21, 2016.

Eagle Feather, age 25, is a Native American male. He is 5-feet-7-inches tall and weighs approximately 185 pounds. He has brown hair and brown eyes.

Eagle Feather is currently serving a five-year sentence with three years suspended for receiving or transferring a stolen vehicle and a concurrent eight-year sentence with four years suspended for receiving or transferring a stolen vehicle. Both sentences were imposed in Minnehaha County.

Additional information is available on the Offender Locator at <http://doc.sd.gov/>.

Anyone who sees Eagle Feather or knows of his whereabouts should contact law enforcement immediately. Failing to return following an assignment constitutes second-degree escape, a class 5 felony, and is punishable by a maximum of 5 years in prison. South Dakota Codified Law 22-11A-5 states that any person who conceals any prisoner knowing that the prisoner has escaped is guilty of a Class 5 felony.

Community Work Centers house minimum-security inmates and parolees in the Community Transition Program.

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Our mission is to protect the citizens of South Dakota by providing safe and secure facilities for juvenile and adult offenders committed to our custody by the courts. To provide effective community supervision to offenders upon their release and to utilize evidence-based practices to maximize opportunities for rehabilitation.