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Yankton Trusty Unit Walk-Away Back In Custody

(Pierre) – An inmate who walked away from the Yankton Trusty Unit today is back in custody.

Inmate Andrew Young left his work site at the Human Service Center in Yankton at approximately 7:00 AM. He was apprehended at 9:17 AM near Yankton.

Young is serving a five-year sentence with two years suspended for Grand Theft out of Brown County.

He now faces a charge of escape. A conviction as a result of an escape from Department of Corrections custody carries a mandatory sentence of not less than seven years, which may not be suspended.

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