



SHERIFF KOOTENAI COUNTY



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Media Release ESCAPEE CAPTURED!!! April 26, 2017

Kootenai County, Idaho: The Kootenai County Sheriff's Office and the Yakima County Corrections Center are pleased to announce that escapee Steven D. Roche is now in custody

According to the Yakima County Sheriff's Office, Roche was arrested around 3 a.m. Wednesday in the Tacoma-Olympia area by members of the Pacific Northwest Violent Offender Task Force.

After receiving tips from the public on Roche's location, members of the task force set up surveillance at a hotel and he was subsequently taken into custody

The Yakima County Sheriff's Office has not released the specific location of Roche's arrest. More information may be provided later today by Yakima County Sheriff's Office.



Ben Wolfinger, Sheriff
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