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Date: 06/03/2023 Time: 02:30 PM Contact: Officer Kate Mann Public Affairs / Crime Prevention (920)236-5742 Subject: K9 Lando

OSHKOSH, WI (June 3, 2023): The Oshkosh Police Department is saddened by the passing of Oshkosh Police K9 Lando. K9 Lando became unexpectedly ill and it was discovered that he had an autoimmune disease, Myasthenia Gravis. Medical staff tried to treat this illness but Lando was not responding to the treatments and had to be euthanized this afternoon.

K9 Lando (German Shepard) was born on July 26, 2016 and was acquired by the Oshkosh Police Department in March 2018 from K9 Services located in Albuquerque, New Mexico. He was assigned to Officer Fettig (2018-2020) and to Officer Martinez (2020-current).

K9 Lando had a very successful career with OPD, with 1,437.25 hours of training, 151.5 certification hours and 283 deployments.

K9 Lando's seizure numbers include:

0	Cocaine-	62.9 grams
0	Methamphetamine-	102.5 grams
0	Marijuana-	9.38 pounds
0	Fentanyl-	3.40 grams
0	MDMA-	8.71 grams
0	Heroin-	13.3 grams
0	Drug Paraphernalia-	131 pieces
0	Illegally possessed RX-	210 pills
0	Firearms-	3 guns
0	Bite Apprehensions-	1 apprehension
0	Currency seized-	\$25, 974.00
0	THC Oil/Wax/Edibles-	214.08 grams

We want to thank all of the medical staff at UW Veterinary Care who assisted K9 Lando. K9 Lando will be greatly missed by everyone in our department.

The Mission of the Oshkosh Police Department is to promote public safety and to enhance the quality of life in our community through innovative policing and community partnerships