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UPDATE: Reward Offered for Information on Jasper's Shooter

June 11, 2019

On Monday, June 10, 2019, Jasper underwent surgery to remove the bullet from his rear left thigh. The bullet lodged in Jasper's neck will not be removed at this time due to its location and risk of removing it. Jasper is still recovering, and his condition continues to improve each day.

A private community member contacted the Washington County Sheriff's Office and is offering a \$2,000 reward for information that leads to the arrest and prosecution of the individual(s) responsible for shooting Jasper.

Additionally, the <u>Oregon Humane Society</u> is offering a <u>\$500 reward</u> for information that leads to the arrest and prosecution of the individual(s) responsible for shooting Jasper.

If you have information on the individual(s) who shot Jasper, please call the Washington County Sheriff's Office at 503-846-2700.

Unknown Suspect(s) Intentionally Shot Horse Grazing in a Pasture June 4, 2019

On the evening of Sunday, June 3, 2019, Washington County Sheriff's Office deputies responded to 32657 SW Reidweg Road in unincorporated Washington County, south of Cornelius to investigate a report of a horse who had been shot. When deputies arrived, they located Jasper, a 9-year-old horse, and confirmed he had been shot twice.

Deputies were able to determine Jasper had been shot once in the face, near the right side of his jaw, and once in his left thigh. Jasper was out in a pasture when he was shot.





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Jasper is currently in the care of a local veterinarian and will undergo surgery to attempt to remove the bullets. Jasper is expected to survive.

Several bullet casings were found on the roadside, near the pasture where Jasper was grazing.

Based on the evidence at the scene, deputies believe the individual(s) who shot Jasper did so intentionally.

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