

FBI seized 'top secret' documents from Trump home

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The FBI recovered documents that were labeled "top secret" from former President Donald Trump's Mar-a-Lago estate in Florida, according to court papers released Friday after a federal judge unsealed the warrant that authorized the unprecedented search this week.

A property receipt unsealed by the court shows FBI agents took 11 sets of classified records from the estate during a search on Monday.

The seized records include some marked not only top secret but also "sensitive compartmented information," a special category meant to protect the nation's most important secrets that if revealed publicly could cause "exceptionally grave" damage to U.S. interests. Court records did not provide specific details about information the documents might contain.

The warrant says federal agents were investigating potential violations of three different federal laws, including one that governs gathering, transmitting or losing defense information

under the Espionage Act. The other statutes address concealment, mutilation or removal of records and the destruction, alteration or falsification of records in federal investigations.

The property receipt also shows federal agents collected other potential presidential records, including the order pardoning Trump ally Roger Stone, a "leatherbound box of documents," and information about the "President of France." A binder of photos, a handwritten note, "miscellaneous secret documents" and "miscellaneous confidential documents" were also seized in the search.

Trump's attorney, Christina Bobb, who was present at Mar-a-Lago when the agents conducted the search, signed two property receipts - one that was two pages long and another that is a single page.

In a statement earlier Friday, Trump claimed that the documents seized by agents were "all declassified," and argued he would have turned them over if the Justice Department asked.

While incumbent presidents generally have the power to declassify information, that authority lapses as soon as they leave office and it was not clear

if the documents in question have ever been declassified. And even an incumbent's powers to declassify may be limited regarding secrets dealing with nuclear weapons programs, covert operations and operatives, and some data shared with allies.

Trump kept possession of the documents despite multiple requests from agencies, including the National Archives, to turn over presidential records in accordance with federal law.

The Mar-a-Lago search warrant served Monday was part of an ongoing Justice Department investigation into the discovery of classified White House records recovered from Trump's home earlier this year. The Archives had asked the department to investigate after saying 15 boxes of records it retrieved from the estate included classified records.

It remains unclear whether the Justice Department moved forward with the warrant simply as a means to retrieve the records or as part of a wider criminal investigation. Multiple federal laws govern the handling of classified information, with both criminal and civil penalties, as well as presidential records.

Ship reaches Ukraine to load up with wheat for hungry Africa

SUSIE BLANN
The Associated Press

KYIV, Ukraine

A ship docked in a Ukrainian Black Sea port on Friday to begin loading up with wheat for hungry people in Ethiopia. It will be the first food delivery to Africa under a U.N. plan to unblock grain trapped by Russia's war on Ukraine and bring relief to some of the millions worldwide who are on the brink of starvation.

For months, fighting in Ukraine and a Russian blockade of Ukraine's ports meant that grain produced in Ukraine, one of the world's key breadbaskets, piled up in silos. That sent global food prices sky-high and led to hunger in Africa, the Middle East and parts of Asia. In recent days, several ships carrying grain have left Ukrainian ports under the new deal — but most of those shipments were animal feed and went to Turkey or Western Europe under previous contracts.

U.N. spokesman Stephane Dujarric said the ship named Brave Commander will carry its wheat to the Horn of Africa nation of Djibouti, where it will be unloaded and sent on to Ethiopia.

"The wheat will go to the World Food Program's operations in Ethiopia, supporting the Horn of Africa drought response as the threat of famine stalks the drought-hit region," he said. "It is one of many areas around the world where the near-complete halt of Ukrainian grain and food on the global market has made life even harder for the families already struggling with rising hunger."

The ship was expected to take on more than 23,000 metric tons, according to Ukraine's Infrastructure Ministry — still only a tiny portion of the 20 million tons of grain languishing now in Ukraine. It docked in the port city of Yuzhne late Friday, the ministry said.

Ethiopia, along with neighboring Somalia and Kenya, is facing the worst drought in four decades in the Horn of Africa. Thousands of people across the region have died from hunger or illness this year. Forecasts for the coming weeks indicate that for the first time, a fifth straight rainy season will fail to materialize. Millions of livestock, the basis of many families' wealth and food security, have died.

"Millions of households will struggle to cope with these shocks" in Ethiopia, according to a new assessment by the Famine Early Warning Systems Network. "Food assistance needs are at record levels, with up to 15 million people in need of food assistance."

Author Salman Rushdie stabbed on stage in New York

The Associated Press

CHAUTAUQUA, N.Y.

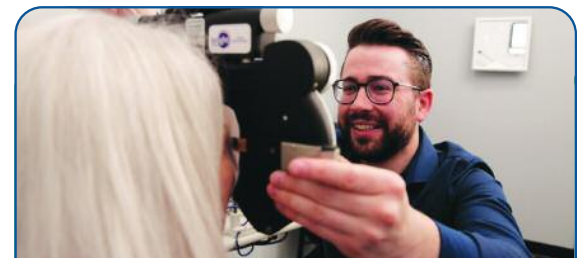
Salman Rushdie, whose novel "The Satanic Verses" drew death threats from Iran's leader in the 1980s, was stabbed in the neck and abdomen Friday by a man who rushed the stage as the author was about to give a lecture in western New York.

A bloodied Rushdie, 75, was flown to a hospital and was undergoing surgery, police said. His condition was not immediately known.

Police identified the attacker as Hadi Matar, 24, of Fairview, New Jersey. He was arrested at the scene and was awaiting arraignment. State police Maj. Eugene Staniszewski said the motive for the stabbing was unclear.

An Associated Press reporter witnessed the attacker confront Rushdie on stage at the Chautauqua Institution and punch or stab him 10 to 15 times as he was being introduced. The author was pushed or fell to the floor, and the man was arrested.

Dr. Martin Haskell, a physician who was among those who rushed to help, described Rushdie's wounds as "serious but recoverable."



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RESIDENTIAL

- 1059 BRAEMAR STREET SE** (Lots 13 & 14, Block H, Plan 59454) PLDP20220559. Single Detached House (Inground Pool).
- 178 8 STREET SW** (Lots 21 & 22, Block 9, Plan 2177M) PLDP20220645. Garage With Driveway Width Variance.
- 1039 2 AVENUE NE** (Lot 1, Block A, Plan 7410088) PLDP20220690. Garage.
- 37 HEWITT COURT NE** (Lot 17, Block 1, Plan 7610757) PLDP20220712. Garage With Height Variance.



COMMERCIAL

- 1887 6 AVENUE SW** (Lot 5, Block 2, Plan 7510258) PLDP20220650. One Fascia Sign.

A person claiming to be affected by a decision of the Development Officer or the Municipal Planning Commission may appeal to the Medicine Hat Subdivision and Development Appeal Board by completing and submitting to the City Clerk Department, the required Notice of Appeal form within twenty one (21) days of this publication. Notice of Appeal forms are available from the City Clerk Department, Third Floor, City Hall or on the City's website at www.medicinehat.ca.

All Development Permits listed are subject to conditions. Further information on any Development Permit may be obtained from the Planning & Development Services Department, Second Floor, City Hall during normal business hours (Telephone 403.529.8374).

PUBLIC NOTICE

CITY OF MEDICINE HAT

ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AND ENHANCEMENT ACT
NOTICE OF APPLICATION

In accordance with the Environmental Protection and Enhancement Act, the City of Medicine Hat has applied to Alberta Environment and Parks for an amendment to an existing waterworks approval. The City of Medicine Hat Water Treatment Plant is located at 1502 Power House Road SW alongside the South Saskatchewan River. The proposed amendment is to upgrade the City of Medicine Hats Water Treatment plant with the construction of a Residuals Management Facility, a Residuals Clarifier Building, and a Blowdown Transfer Pump Station to handle waste streams from the water treatment plant.

A directly affected person may provide input into certain regulatory decisions, as allowed by the Environmental Protection and Enhancement Act (section 73). Specifically, any person who is directly affected by this application may submit a written statement of concern within 30 days of the date of this notice to:

Environment and Parks
Regulatory Approvals Center
5th Floor, South Petroleum Plaza
9915 - 108 Street • Edmonton, AB T5K 2G8
Fax: (780) 422-0154
E-mail: aep.epeapplications@gov.ab.ca

The written statement of concern should include the following:

- the application number 023-972
- describe concerns that are relevant to matters regulated by the Environmental Protection and Enhancement Act
- explain how the filer of the concern will be directly affected by the activities proposed in the application
- provide the legal land location of the land owned or used by the filer where the concerns described are believed to be applicable
- state the distance between the land owned or used by the filer and the site in the application
- contact information including the full name and mailing address of the filer.

Please provide a telephone number and/or email address for ease of contact.

Environment and Parks will review each written statement of concern, seek more information if needed, and notify each filer by letter of the decision to accept or reject their written submission as a valid statement of concern. The Public Notice of this application will also be posted on the Department's website at <https://avw.alberta.ca/PublicNoticesViewer.aspx>.

Statements of concern submitted regarding this application are public records which are accessible by the public and the applicant. Failure to file a statement of concern may affect the right to file a Notice of Appeal with the Environmental Appeals Board.

Copies of the application and additional information can be obtained from:

City of Medicine Hat
Attention: Carla Froyman Parker
580 1 ST SE • MEDICINE HAT, AB T1A 8E6
Telephone: 403-525-8941 • Fax: 403-529-8304
E-mail: carfro@medicinehat.ca

FIRE HYDRANT INSPECTIONS & WATER MAIN FLUSHING

City Assets Environmental Utilities Maintenance Crews perform regular, routine maintenance to uphold the water quality and system infrastructure by annually inspecting fire hydrants and flushing water mains.

During these operations, there may be some discoloration in the water which is **not** harmful to consume and will dissipate when flushing is complete. Please note that discoloured water should not be used for laundry and that fluctuating water pressure may also be noticed.

Should discoloration persist beyond three hours, turn on a cold-water faucet or an outside sprinkler and let the water run for several minutes until the water runs clear.

For additional information or to confirm whether crews are working in your zone, refer to the Water Flushing information on the City's website at www.medicinehat.ca/water or contact City Assets Environmental Utilities at 403.529.8176.

www.medicinehat.ca

BYLAW #4707 PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE LAND USE BYLAW #4168

TAKE NOTICE that City Council gave First Reading on Tuesday, August 2, 2022 to Bylaw #4707, a Bylaw of the City of Medicine Hat to amend text in the Land Use Bylaw (LUB) #4168 to make important improvements that:

- aim to improve clarity of interpretation of the LUB,
- align the LUB with the Municipal Government Act (MGA), and
- align the LUB with the Municipal Development Plan (MDP).

A Public Hearing in general accordance with the *Municipal Government Act* and the *City's Procedure Bylaw*, and consideration of the Second/Third Readings of proposed Bylaw #4707 will be held on Tuesday, September 6, 2022, beginning at approximately 6:30 pm in the City Hall Council Chambers (580 First Street SE). Any person who claims to be affected by the proposed bylaws may make representation to City Council at the Public Hearing. Oral submissions are limited to five minutes.

Anyone wishing to have a written submission concerning this proposed bylaw placed before the City Council must submit it to: City Clerk Department, 580 First Street SE, Medicine Hat, Alberta T1A 8E6 by 12:00 noon, Wednesday, August 31, 2022.

All submissions are treated as public documents.

For further information, or to view copy of proposed Bylaw #4707 and related documents, please contact Planning & Development Services at 403.529.8374. Bylaw #4707 may also be accessed via the 'Proposed Bylaws' section on the City's website at www.medicinehat.ca.

Dated at the City of Medicine Hat, in the Province of Alberta, this 6th day of August, 2022

Jessica Robinson, Acting City Clerk
Phone 403.529.8234
Fax 403.529.8324
E-mail: clerk@medicinehat.ca

BYLAW #4703 & BYLAW #4704 COULEE RIDGE OUTLINE PLAN AND PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE LAND USE BYLAW #4168

TAKE NOTICE that City Council gave First Reading on Tuesday, August 2, 2022, to Bylaw #4703 a Bylaw of the City of Medicine Hat to adopt the Coulee Ridge Outline Plan to allow for the orderly development of residential lands within the Cimarron area.

TAKE NOTICE that City Council gave First Reading on Tuesday, August 2, 2022 to Bylaw #4704, a Bylaw of the City of Medicine Hat to amend the Land Use Bylaw #4168 to rezone the subject property from Future Urban Development (FUD) to Low Density Residential (R-LD) and Open Space (OS). The re-zoning is to align zoning with the Coulee Ridge Outline plan and allow for the development of residential lots.

A Public Hearing in general accordance with the *Municipal Government Act* and the *City's Procedure Bylaw*, and consideration of the Second/Third Readings of proposed Bylaw #4703 and Bylaw #4704 will be held on Tuesday, September 6, 2022, beginning at approximately 6:30 pm in the City Hall Council Chambers (580 First Street SE). Any person who claims to be affected by the proposed bylaws may make representation to City Council at the Public Hearing. Oral submissions are limited to five minutes.

Anyone wishing to have a written submission concerning the proposed bylaws placed before the City Council must submit it to:

City Clerk Department, 580 First Street SE, Medicine Hat, Alberta T1A 8E6 by 12:00 noon, Wednesday, August 31, 2022.

All submissions are treated as public documents.

For further information, or to view copy of proposed Bylaw #4703 or Bylaw #4704 and related documents, please contact Planning & Development Services at 403.529.8374. The proposed bylaws may also be accessed via the 'Proposed Bylaws' section on the City's website at www.medicinehat.ca.

Dated at the City of Medicine Hat, in the Province of Alberta, this 6th day of August, 2022.

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