

From: Stout, Pamela
Sent: Thu, 16 Mar 2023 20:50:39 +0000
To: Betsy Kim
Cc: Stewart, Tena
Subject: FW: [RECORDS REQUEST] Olive Branch Rape Kit Backlog
Attachments: rape PDF.pdf

Regarding your follow-up questions: please see the document attached above and the comments below.

Thank you,

Pamela Stout
Assistant City Clerk
City of Olive Branch
662-892-9242



From: Driver, Sherrie <sdriver@obms.us>
Sent: Thursday, March 16, 2023 1:27 PM
To: Stewart, Tena <tena.stewart@obms.us>; Stout, Pamela <pamela.stout@obms.us>
Subject: FW: [RECORDS REQUEST] Olive Branch Rape Kit Backlog

1. Which crime lab does the City of Olive Branch send rape kits to? The Mississippi Forensics Laboratory?

State of Mississippi Crime Lab

2. What do the x's in the spreadsheet mean?

For the "sent crime lab results" column, does the "x" mean that the kit hasn't yet been sent to the crime lab or that it can't be/won't be?

For "crime lab completed" column, does the "x" mean the kit hasn't yet been tested or that it can't be/won't be?

The "X" means either no rape kit was completed or the case was unfounded and the kit was not send.

3. Would you happen to have offense date for each of these cases? What I have now gives me a sense of the crime lab turnaround time, but not how long it takes for city/law enforcement to send the rape kit to the crime lab.

Please see the new attached chart (the above chart for full chart)

Date	Report #	Offense Code	Offense Status	Summary
6/16/18	2018019451	Rape	Inactive	Rape Kit / Crime Lab
10/8/18	2018033023	SEXUAL BATTERY	Closed-Juv Arrest	Rape Kit / Crime Lab/ Completed
3/1/19	2019006662	SEXUAL BATTERY	Unfounded	Rape Kit / crime lab
3/18/19	2019008463	SEXUAL BATTERY	Closed	Rape Kit / no crime lab
6/12/19	2019018088	SEXUAL BATTERY	Victim Refused	Rape Kit / crime lab
3/8/20	2020007100	SEXUAL BATTERY	Victim Refused	rape kit / no crime lab
8/1/20	2020019517	SEXUAL BATTERY	Unfounded	rape kit / no crime lab
6/19/21	2021002762	RAPE	Victim Refused	Rape Kit / Crime Lab results
8/20/21	2021003881	RAPE-STAT 14	Cleared by Arrest	Rape kit / Crime Lab / suspect GJ
9/23/21	2021004365	SEXUAL BATTERY	Open/Pending	rape kit / no crime lab
3/21/22	2022001274	SEXUAL BATTERY	Grand Jury	Rape Kit / Crime Lab/ Completed
8/26/22	2022004022	Rape-Stat	Cleared by Arrest	Rape Kit / Crime Lab - Buccal Swabs
9/30/22	2022004598	SEXUAL BATTERY	Open/Pending	Rape Kit / At Crime Lab

Sent: Thursday, March 16, 2023 12:58 PM

To: Driver, Sherrie <sdriver@obms.us>

Subject: Fwd: [RECORDS REQUEST] Olive Branch Rape Kit Backlog

C.E. Garcia

Deputy Chief
10470 Hwy 178
Olive Branch MS 38654
Office: 662-892-9402
Fax: 662-892-9404

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Stout, Pamela" <pamela.stout@obms.us>

Date: March 16, 2023 at 12:33:12 PM CDT

Cc: "Stewart, Tena" <tena.stewart@obms.us>
Subject: FW: [RECORDS REQUEST] Olive Branch Rape Kit Backlog

Please see the follow-up questions below concerning a previous Public Records Request. This 2nd email was directed to Conetta but has not received a response as of yet.

The original request and response (chart) is attached above.

Thank you,

Pamela Stout
Assistant City Clerk
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From: Betsy Kim <betsyk@usafacts.org>
Sent: Thursday, March 16, 2023 12:19 PM
To: Nelson, Conetta <conetta.nelson@obms.us>; Stewart, Tena <tena.stewart@obms.us>
Cc: Stout, Pamela <pamela.stout@obms.us>
Subject: Re: [RECORDS REQUEST] Olive Branch Rape Kit Backlog

Hi Conetta,

I hope this email finds you safe and well!

I'm wondering if you happen to have an update on the questions I sent you back in January! The time to my deadline is winding down pretty quickly, as Sexual Assault Awareness Month is approaching in April, so I would appreciate a response ASAP. Please let me know if you did send me a message that I missed.

Respectfully,
Betsy

Betsy Kim
Data Analyst

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From: Nelson, Conetta <conetta.nelson@obms.us>
Sent: Tuesday, January 24, 2023 1:49 PM
To: Betsy Kim <betsyk@usafacts.org>; Stewart, Tena <tena.stewart@obms.us>
Cc: Stout, Pamela <pamela.stout@obms.us>
Subject: RE: [RECORDS REQUEST] Olive Branch Rape Kit Backlog

Received.

From: Betsy Kim [<mailto:betsyk@usafacts.org>]
Sent: Tuesday, January 24, 2023 3:48 PM
To: Stewart, Tena; Nelson, Conetta
Cc: Stout, Pamela
Subject: Re: [RECORDS REQUEST] Olive Branch Rape Kit Backlog

Hi Tena, Pamela, and Conetta,

Thank you for your response to my request!

@Conetta, I'm following up on our call today with a few clarifying questions about the data that was provided.

1. Which crime lab does the City of Olive Branch send rape kits to? The Mississippi Forensics Laboratory?
2. What do the x's in the spreadsheet mean? For the "sent crime lab results" column, does the "x" mean that the kit hasn't yet been sent to the crime lab or that it can't be/won't be? For "crime lab completed" column, does the "x" mean the kit hasn't yet been tested or that it can't be/won't be?
3. Would you happen to have offense date for each of these cases? What I have now gives me a sense of the crime lab turnaround time, but not how long it takes for city/law enforcement to send the rape kit to the crime lab.

Thank you for your consideration,
Betsy

Betsy Kim
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From: Stewart, Tena <tena.stewart@obms.us>
Sent: Wednesday, January 11, 2023 2:25 PM
To: Betsy Kim <betsyk@usafacts.org>
Cc: Stout, Pamela <pamela.stout@obms.us>; Nelson, Conetta <conetta.nelson@obms.us>
Subject: RE: [RECORDS REQUEST] Olive Branch Rape Kit Backlog

Good afternoon Ms. Kim,

Please find attached the record provided for your Public Records Request. Your request is now complete.

Should you have any questions, please contact Ms. Conetta Nelson at 662-892-9405.

Thank you,
Tena Stewart
City Clerk
City of Olive Branch
662-892-9211
662-892-9223 (fax)
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From: Stewart, Tena
Sent: Monday, January 9, 2023 4:00 PM
To: 'Betsy Kim' <betsyk@usafacts.org>
Cc: Stout, Pamela <pamela.stout@obms.us>
Subject: RE: [RECORDS REQUEST] Olive Branch Rape Kit Backlog

Ms. Kim,

I'm in receipt of your request and will be in touch.

Thank you,

Tena Stewart

City Clerk

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From: Betsy Kim [<mailto:betsyk@usafacts.org>]

Sent: Monday, January 9, 2023 3:47 PM

To: Stewart, Tena <tena.stewart@obms.us>

Cc: Stout, Pamela <pamela.stout@obms.us>

Subject: Re: [RECORDS REQUEST] Olive Branch Rape Kit Backlog

Hi Tena,

I apologize for the error! I've attached an updated public records request below, this time addressing Olive Branch.

Looking forward to hearing from you,
Betsy

Betsy Kim

Data Analyst

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From: Stewart, Tena <tena.stewart@obms.us>

Sent: Monday, December 12, 2022 10:34 AM

To: Betsy Kim <betsyk@usafacts.org>

Cc: Stout, Pamela <pamela.stout@obms.us>

Subject: RE: [RECORDS REQUEST] Olive Branch Rape Kit Backlog

Ms. Kim,

I'm in receipt of your request. Your request is for Biloxi, MS.

Thank you,

Tena Stewart

City Clerk

City of Olive Branch

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From: Betsy Kim [<mailto:betsyk@usafacts.org>]

Sent: Friday, December 9, 2022 6:33 PM

To: Stewart, Tena <tena.stewart@obms.us>

Subject: [RECORDS REQUEST] Olive Branch Rape Kit Backlog

Hello,

My name is Betsy Kim, and my records request is attached below. Please let me know if there's any other information I can provide.

Sincerely,

Betsy

Betsy Kim

Data Analyst

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