



# Kendall County

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### **ADDITIONAL CHILD PORNOGRAPHY CHARGES FILED AGAINST SANDWICH MAN**

On July 30, 2018, Kendall County Sheriff's Office received information based on a cybertip from the National Center for Missing and Exploited Children. Kendall County Sheriff's Detectives initiated a criminal investigation. During the three month investigation investigators gathered, collected and examined multiple items of evidence.

On October 25, 2018, the Kendall County State's Attorney's Office approved charges against Daniel Lee Aldrich, a 61 year old male from the 0-50 block of Sandra Court, unincorporated Little Rock Township, with seven counts of Child Pornography (two counts of Dissemination; a class X felony and five counts of Possession; a class 2 felony).

A large amount of digital evidence was recovered pursuant to multiple search warrants. In reviewing the evidence, a large amount of surreptitiously recorded video of children, acquaintances of Aldrich, was located. All of the victims involved in the videos have been identified and located.

Aldrich was additionally charged with the following:

- Possession of Child Pornography (Six counts; four being class X felonies, one being a class 2 felony, and one being a Class 3 felony)
- Unauthorized video recording (eleven counts; eight being class 3 felonies, two being class 4 felonies).

A warrant for Aldrich's arrest was issued on March 20<sup>th</sup>, 2019, and Aldrich turned himself into the Kendall County Corrections Center on March 21<sup>st</sup>, 2019, where he is currently being held on \$100,000/10% bond.

**The public is reminded that criminal defendants are presumed innocent until the government is able to prove its charges in court beyond a reasonable doubt.**

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