Covington County deputies seek missing woman

by: <u>Sethanie Smith, Brandon Raines</u> Posted: Aug 25, 2025 / 10:35 AM CDT <u>Updated: Aug 25, 2025 / 06:18 PM CDT</u>

SHARE

COVINGTON COUNTY, Miss. (<u>WHLT</u>) – Covington County deputies are searching for a missing 37-year-old woman.

They said Brandi Lauren White, of Mt. Olive, was last seen on August 20, 2025, around 3:00 a.m. on William Warren Road. Deputies said her safety is a concern. White is 5'3, 130 pounds and has brown hair and blue eyes.

"If you have my daughter, please bring her back home, so we can get her back with her family, because we can't take these. I'm really beside myself, but I'm trying to act like and keep faith in God that she will be back," said Robert Sullivan, Jr., White's father.

The mother of two was with a family friend when she disappeared. The family said he told them that she ran into the woods near a dumping site after being startled and never came back.

No major security incidents at 2025 Mississippi State Fair

Next

Stay



Brandi Lauren White (Courtesy: Covington Co. Sheriff's Office)

"They were walking, and they saw lights. Scared them. They ran. He ran one way. She ran the other. But he came back to the car, blew the horn, and called her name. She didn't come back," said Sullivan.

Over the weekend, search teams combed the area where White was last seen. Search dogs were able to find signs that she was there at some point.

"They picked up her scent out there, and whenever they picked up her scent, they followed it across the road from the dump at William Warren Road to Horseshoe Road, and then the trail went cold. So, we don't know if she got picked up by somebody else walking on the road," her father said.

One of White's shoes was found.

Covington County deputies are interviewing persons of interest, but they have not been able to determine what happened to White.

Anyone with information on her whereabouts can contact the Covington County Sheriff's Office at 601-765-8281.

Search continues for missing Covington County woman.

By Charles Herrington

Published: Aug. 26, 2025 at 7:57 PM CDT

COVINGTON COUNTY, Miss. (WDAM) - The search continues for a missing Covington County woman.

Brandi Lauren White was reported missing by family last Friday.

The Covington County Sheriff's Department says she was last seen in the early morning hours of Aug. 20 on William Warren Road near Mississippi 532.

Law officers have searched the area.

Family members and friends have joined in that search.

"We're just praying for a good ending, because Brandi's got the biggest heart," said Nicole Pelletier, White's friend. "She's a good person and we just need help, because she's voiceless right now and we want to be her voice."

The Hope Outreach Church in Mount Olive hosted a prayer vigil for White last weekend.

"We've definitely been constantly praying," Hope Outreach Church Senior Pastor David Brewer said. "We had a prayer vigil Saturday night. We had about 20 people here, just a great group of people, praying and seeking God and a lot of broken hearts and a lot of fear.

I've mainly been staying in touch with the family. They're holding up fairly well."

Anyone with any information regarding White or her location is asked to please call the Covington County Sheriff's Department at 601-765-8281.