



# CITY OF CLEARWATER

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## CLEARWATER POLICE ARREST A SUSPECT WHO ARRANGED TO MEET A 14-YEAR-OLD GIRL

**WHO:** West A Cornwell (Arrested)  
DOB: 6-6-85  
Clearwater, Fla.

14-year-old female (Victim)

**WHAT:** Unlawful Use of a Computer & Traveling to Meet a Minor Victim for Sexual Activity

**WHEN:** March 4, 2011

**WHERE:** Clearwater, Fla.

**SUMMARY:** The suspect became friends with the victim on a social network. During the course of their friendship, Cornwell began to solicit the victim to send sexually explicit images, discussed various sex acts and asked to meet. The victim's family informed the police of the ongoing chat. The chat was taken over by Detectives in the Crimes Against Children and Families Unit. Cornwell arranged to meet the victim at a location in Clearwater. When Cornwell responded to the location he was stopped by officers. He was arrested and charged accordingly. The investigation continues.

