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PRESS RELEASE

On February 5th, 2019 at 3:01 P.M, officers from the Pleasant Hill Police Department, Pike County Sheriff's Department, and West Central Illinois Drug Task Force executed a court-authorized search warrant at a residence located in the 700 block of Houston Street in Pleasant Hill. Subsequent to an investigation, methamphetamine, numerous plastic baggies, drug paraphernalia, prescription medication, and United States Currency was located and seized.

Arrested as a result of the search warrant was Rebecca N. Orr, age 37, of Pleasant Hill on charges of unlawful delivery of methamphetamine, unlawful possession of methamphetamine, and unlawful possession of drug paraphernalia. Rebecca is lodged in the Pike County Jail in lieu of bond.

Also arrested was Timothy D. Shanks, age 36, of Pleasant Hill on charges of unlawful possession of methamphetamine and unlawful possession of drug paraphernalia. Timothy is lodged in the Pike County Jail in lieu of bond. Timothy is currently on mandatory supervised release from the Illinois Department of Corrections. According to the Illinois Department of Corrections website, Timothy was released from prison on or about January 22nd, 2019.

The Illinois Department of Children and Family Services assisted with the investigation.

This is the second drug-related search warrant conducted in Pleasant Hill within a few days. Pleasant Hill Chief of Police Zack Orr said the Pleasant Hill Police Department, Pike County Sheriff's Department, and the West Central Illinois Drug Task Force will continue to investigate any and all leads regarding possible drug activity. These two residences where the search warrants were executed are literally a couple of blocks from each other. One suspect who was arrested has been out of prison for approx. fourteen (14) days before he was rearrested on new charges.

Sheriff David Greenwood was quick to commend all of the law enforcement agencies that worked together to make this possible. Sheriff Greenwood said drug and property crimes are amongst the top of his priorities as Sheriff.