

PRESS RELEASE

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

Sheriff Dave Phalen advised that Deputies received a report of an individual making threats in the Bremen, Ohio area at 0016 hours, this morning. A Fairfield County Deputy located the individual and attempted to make contact with Phillip A. Thompson 50 YOA. During the encounter, the individual discharged a weapon. A brief vehicular pursuit ensued and ended when the individual suffered a self-inflicted gunshot wound.

The individual was taken by Air Evac to OSU Hospital in critical condition.