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SHERIFF PHALEN TO PROMOTE DEPUTY TO SERGEANT

[Lancaster, Ohio, June 11, 2014] Fairfield County Sheriff Dave Phalen will be promoting **Deputy Nicholas Graham, 36**, of Lancaster, to fill the Sergeant vacancy created by a Sergeant retiring from Fairfield County employment this month. The promotion ceremony will be held on **Friday, June 13, 2014 at 10:00 a.m.** in the Fairfield County Commissioners' Hearing Room located at 210 E. Main Street, Lancaster, Ohio.

Deputy Nicholas Graham has been with the Fairfield County Sheriff's Office since December 16, 2006. During his career he has served in the Jail Bureau and the Patrol Bureau and has received 19 commendation letters. He was named Jail Deputy of the Year in 2007 and Patrol Deputy of the Year in 2012. He also received a lifesaving award in 2008.