



SUMMIT COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE

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PRESS RELEASE

Arrests Made for Aggravated Menacing

On May 22, 2018, a female was involved in a verbal dispute with her boyfriend Stanley Smith at Steve's Motel in the city of Green. The female called her friend in an attempt to assist her with leaving the motel. Her friend, identified as Richard Whittmeyer, responded to the motel with his friend Sean Holland. Smith exited the room with an ax and verbally threatened Whittmeyer. Whittmeyer subsequently retrieved a handgun and brandished it. The Summit County Sheriff's Office received a 911 call and responded to the motel. Smith, Whittmeyer, and Holland fled the scene prior to the arrival of the deputies.

Smith and Whittmeyer were located on motel property and were interviewed by deputies. Holland was located on East Turkeyfoot Lake Road in the city of Green. Holland was found to be in possession of 6 grams of methamphetamine, 1 gram of suspected Fentanyl, bags for packaging, a scale, and a handgun.

Stanley Smith, age 33 of Akron was arrested for Aggravated Menacing (M-1). Richard Whittmeyer, age 47 of Akron was arrested for Aggravated Menacing (M-1). Sean M. Holland, age 28 of Akron was arrested for Trafficking in Drugs (F-2) and Possession of Drugs (F-2). Holland was transported to the Summit County Jail.