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News Release

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Sheriff George W. Lavender Jr., Chief Keith Washburn, along with the Missing Women's Task Force are pleased to announce that Ernest J. Moore turned himself into the Chillicothe Police Department last night shortly before 11:00 p.m.

Mr. Moore was served a 2 count Indictment for Kidnapping and Felonious Assault. The Indictment is the result of an ongoing investigation currently being conducted by the Chillicothe Police Department. He is currently being held in the Ross County Jail and is expected to be arraigned later today.

Sheriff Lavender and Chief Washburn want to express their appreciation to all of the various media outlets who got the information out so quickly that made his apprehension possible. They also want to thank the community for all of the tips that they received in this matter and encourage the community to keep providing information.