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News Release

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Sheriff Lavender reports that his office was dispatched to a residence in the 5000 block of Walnut Creek Road on 04/01/2015 at approximately 3:30 p.m. to assist the Adult Parole Authority.

Deputies arrived and spoke with Parole Officers who said that they were doing a home visit on 42 year old Ulysses Combs and 35 year old Debbie Johnson who were both under Parole Supervision and living at the residence. The Parole Officers said that they had possibly discovered a Meth Lab at the residence.

The U.S. 23 Major Crimes Task Force was called to the scene and secured a search warrant for the residence. Investigators from Ross and Pickaway County Sheriff's Office's along with Task Force Agents conducted a search and discovered materials consistent with the manufacturing of Methamphetamine. Investigators collected evidence to be sent to the laboratory for testing.

There were three juveniles at the residence at the time of the search warrant that were taken into custody by Children's Services. Mr. Combs and Mrs. Johnson were arrested for Parole Violations and transported to the Ross County Jail. More charges are pending the completion of the investigation by the Task Force.

Colerain Township Fire and Squad assisted Task Force Agents in the clean-up of the lab.