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## **News Release**

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Sheriff Lavender reports that one of his deputies was on routine patrol in Bainbridge yesterday at approximately 7:00 p.m. The deputy observed what he believed to be drug activity on the lot of the Shell Gas Station.

The deputy approached the two suspects 35 year old Gerald Sexton and 56 year old Anthony Hurley. The deputy conducted an investigation and discovered that Mr. Sexton was selling his prescription Suboxone Strips.

Mr. Sexton was arrested and charged with Trafficking in Drugs. Mr. Hurley was arrested and charged with Obstructing Justice.

These arrests are a result of the Ross County Sheriff's Office S.T.O.P.P. (Stop Trafficking or Pay the Price) Initiative.