



## Office of Ross County Sheriff

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## News Release

December 12, 2019

Sheriff Lavender reports that late last night information was received that Pike County murder suspect Eric Burggraf was in Ross County.

Early this morning Mr. Burggraf was taken into custody in Western Ross County without incident.

Mr. Burggraf was transported to the Ross County Jail for processing. All other inquiries concerning this matter should be directed to the Pike County Sheriff's Office.

A special thanks to Pickaway and Fayette County Sheriff's Offices, Ohio Attorney General's Office (B.C.I.), U.S. Marshal's Office, State Highway Patrol, U.S. 23 Major Crimes Task Force, and the Ross County Sheriff's Office Emergency Response Team.

