



ONEIDA COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE

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NEWS RELEASE

For Immediate Release – Friday, November 2, 2018

Town of Pelican - On Friday, November 2, 2018, at approximately 2:28p.m., the Oneida County Sheriff's Office attempted to make a traffic stop on a vehicle. The operator of the vehicle, Joshua J. Meirhofer, a 29 year old male of Rhinelander, initially did not stop for law enforcement. Meirhofer eventually stopped his vehicle on Old 8 Road in the Town of Pelican. Meirhofer was arrested without further incident for Threats to a Law Enforcement Officer, Felony Fleeing, and Possession of Schedule II Narcotics.

Oneida County Deputies were assisted by the Rhinelander Police Department, The Wisconsin State Patrol, and The Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources.

Any media requesting additional information about this incident should contact Oneida County Captain Tyler Young at (715)490-1454

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