



ONEIDA COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE



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NEWS RELEASE

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On August 1, 2022 at approximately 7:25 PM, the Oneida County Sheriff's Office Dispatch Center received a 911 call reporting there was an explosion in a garage within the town of Crescent. Upon arrival it was determined that Jared Houg was deceased from injuries sustained during the explosion. It appears the explosion occurred while Houg was making fireworks in his garage. None of the ingredients at Houg's residence were illegal and Houg's actions were legal. This appears to be an accident.

Media questions should be directed to Captain Terri Hook at 715-361-5150.