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## Napoleon City Police Department

# PRESS RELEASE

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**AGGRAVATED ROBBERY** at Circle K convenience store, 777 Scott St, Napoleon, 04/26/2017 0216 HRS.

A robbery was reported by the clerk at the Circle K convenience store at 777 Scott St, Napoleon. The suspect was masked and had a knife and demanded money. The suspect fled the scene with the cash from the cash register. The clerk was not harmed.

The investigation led to a suspect. Napoleon Police Officers called the Henry County Sheriff's Office for a dog to track the suspect from the Circle K. Members of the Henry County Sheriff's department, along with their K-9 responded. The dog led officers to 868 Woodlawn Ave, where the possible suspect was known to live. A warrant was obtained to search the residence. Clothing, money, and the knife from the current robbery was found in the search. During that search, evidence of the Circle K robbery from 04/09 was found. An additional search warrant was obtained and all evidence from both robbery reports was gathered.

The suspect was arrested for both robberies and is currently being held in CCNO pending arraignment at Napoleon Municipal Court. The suspect is cooperating in both robbery investigations.

Charged is LUCAS J KOCH, 23 YOA from Napoleon on two counts of Aggravated Robbery, felonies of the 1<sup>st</sup> degree.

I would like to thank the men and women of the Napoleon Police department and also the Henry County Sheriff's department for their excellent work and joint cooperation in bringing this robbery investigation to a quick and successful conclusion without injury to anyone. This cooperation was crucial and exemplifies the service provided to both the citizens of Napoleon and all of Henry County.

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