



## **BOONE COUNTY SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT**

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### **Media Release**

**Type of Incident: BURGLARY IN PROGRESS**

**Case Number: 08-1006**

**Incident Occurred: 7600 HIGHWAY VV**

**Date & Time 021808 AT ABOUT 1:30 AM**

#### **Details of the Incident:**

Boone County deputies were dispatched to the Green Hills Trailer Court, located at 7600 Highway VV at about 1:30 am regarding a trespass subject. Deputies received information that a male subject was outside yelling and beating on the sides of trailers in the trailer court. A few minutes later, Joint Communications received a Life Alert call from a trailer nearby, reporting a male subject forced entry into a trailer. The 69 year old single female resident attempted to keep the suspect from entering her trailer, but was unable to stop him. The resident fled her trailer to a neighboring home.

When Boone County deputies and Columbia Police officers arrived they located the subject inside the trailer. The subject had armed himself with a metal pipe and refused to comply with officer's commands. A taser device was deployed to subdue the suspect, identified as 54 year old, Michael J. Monroe III of Columbia.

Mr. Monroe was arrested for one count each of First Degree Burglary, Property Damage, Assault Third Degree and Possession of Drug Paraphernalia. Bond has not been set at this time.

The investigation is continuing and all suspects are considered innocent until proven otherwise in a court of law.

**Date/Time of Release: 021808 0600 Hours**

**Authorized By: Deputy Chris Smith**