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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

Wednesday October 13th, 2021

MAN WANTED FOR SHOOTING EVADES LAW ENFORCEMENT ON TUESDAY, WCSO SEEKING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE

According to Chief Deputy Leighta Laitinen, a man that investigators have been seeking to arrest as the result of a shooting investigation evaded deputies on Tuesday.

At approximately 3:00 p.m. on Tuesday October 12 2021, Washington County Deputies spotted Brantley Freshour at the Shell Gas Station near the intersection of Highway 107 and Bailey Bridge Road. Deputies positively identified Freshour and attempted to take him into custody for an outstanding warrant for Aggravated Assault.

Upon approaching Freshour, he fled on foot into a wooded area near the gas station. The Sheriff's Office utilized multiple K9 units, a departmental drone, and also a helicopter provided by the Tennessee Highway Patrol to search. After an hours long search of the area, Freshour could not be located. Investigators believe that he may have been picked up by someone in the area, shortly after fleeing.

Brantley Allen Freshour, age 24, no current address, is a white male, approximately 5 feet 10 inches tall, and 163 pounds. He has red hair, hazel eyes, and is known to frequent the South Central Community of Washington County. Freshour currently has warrants for Aggravated Assault for the October 5th shooting and now a new charge of evading arrest. Freshour should be considered armed and dangerous, anyone with information on his current location is asked to contact the Washington County Sheriff's Office at 423-788-1414.







