



## Hamilton County Sheriff's Office

Jim Neil, Sheriff

# MEDIA RELEASE



### TWO PEOPLE STABBED IN SYCAMORE TOWNSHIP

**Sycamore Township, April 8, 2013** – Chief Deputy Mark Schoonover, Hamilton County Sheriff's Office, reports two felonious assaults which occurred Monday, April 8, 2013, approximately 6:12 p.m., in the rear parking of the Panera Bread located at 8115 Montgomery Road in Sycamore Township.

After having a verbal dispute with victim #1 outside the suspect's residence located in the 6400 block of Chandler Street Cincinnati, Ohio. The suspect chased victim #1 and victim #2 in his motor vehicle to the parking lot of Panera Bread located at 8115 Montgomery Road, Sycamore Township. The suspect intentionally rammed the rear end of victim #1's vehicle, causing her vehicle to be blocked in by his vehicle. The suspect then exited his vehicle brandishing a knife as he approached her vehicle. A struggle ensued in which victim #1 suffered a knife wound to her left hand and victim #2 was cut on his upper right arm. The suspect fled the scene in an unknown direction.

At approximately 6:39 p.m. the suspect was located at his residence on Chandler Street and taken into custody. The suspect was transported to University Hospital for injuries he sustained during the altercation.

Victim #1 and Victim #2 were treated for their injuries at the scene by Sycamore Township EMS.

The suspect is identified as Branden Thompson M/B/30. Thompson was charged with two counts of Felonious Assault, Leaving the Scene on Private Property Crash, Reckless Operation on Private Property and Driving under Suspension. After being released from University Hospital Mr. Thompson was taken to the Hamilton County Justice Center.

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