



## Hamilton County Sheriff's Office

Jim Neil, Sheriff

# MEDIA RELEASE



## PASSING OF DEPUTY NICK HOEVEL

**Colerain Township, September 28, 2014** – It is with great sorrow that Hamilton County Sheriff Jim Neil reports the untimely passing of Deputy Nick Hoevel, age 32, of Colerain Township. On the evening of September 27<sup>th</sup>, 2014, the Colerain Township Fire and E.M.S. Department was dispatched to Nick's residence for an unknown medical emergency. Despite the heroic efforts of his wife, the Colerain Township personnel, and the Emergency Room staff at Mercy Hospital Fairfield, all efforts to revive Nick were unsuccessful and he passed away shortly after arriving at the Emergency Room.

Nick was an 11 year veteran of the Hamilton County Sheriff's Office and, at the time of his passing, was assigned as an Enforcement Officer in Columbia Township. In this capacity, he recently distinguished himself by earning several awards of valor from the Village of Mariemont, the Hamilton County Commissioners, and the Cincinnati Citizen's Police Association for his selfless efforts to save several drowning victims in the Little Miami River in June of 2013. Nick leaves behind a wife, three young children, and countless friends and co-workers who will sorely miss him. The Sheriff's Office Family would ask that you keep Nick and his Family in your thoughts and prayers while Sheriff Neil extends his appreciation to the members of the Colerain Township Fire and E.M.S. Department and the staff of Mercy Fairfield for their valiant lifesaving efforts.

Sergeant Timothy Nash, 9E81

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