



## Hamilton County Sheriff's Office

Jim Neil, Sheriff

## Green Township Police

Chief Bart West



# MEDIA RELEASE

## SERIOUS INJURY MOTORCYCLE CRASH IN GREEN TOWNSHIP

**Green Township, November 2, 2016** – Hamilton County Sheriff Jim Neil and Chief Bart West, Green Township Police Department, report a serious injury crash involving a Harley Davidson motorcycle and a BMW 328i which occurred in the 5100 block of Rybolt Road on November 2, 2016 in Green Township at 7:52pm.

Tracy D. Delmar, female, age 47 of Cincinnati, Ohio was operating a 2007 BMW northbound in the 5100 block of Rybolt Road. Carl T. Lacey, male, age 54 of Cincinnati, Ohio was operating a 1996 Harley Davidson motorcycle also northbound in the 5100 block of Rybolt Road.

Mr. Lacey was operating his motorcycle in a reckless manner, crossed the center dividing lines into the southbound lane of Rybolt Road and began passing traffic that was traveling in the northbound lane. As Mr. Lacey crested a small hill, he approached oncoming traffic and abruptly changed lanes back into the northbound lane of Rybolt Road. Mr. Lacey then struck the rear of Mrs. Delmar's BMW causing his motorcycle to go down onto its right side, sliding across the roadway.

The Green Township Fire Department responded to the crash scene and transported Mr. Lacey to the University Medical Center where he was listed in serious condition. Mrs. Delmar was uninjured in the crash.

Mr. Lacey was wearing a helmet at the time of the crash. Mrs. Delmar was wearing her seatbelt at the time of the crash.

Alcohol, drugs and speed on the part of Mr. Lacey are all believed to have contributed to the crash.

The incident remains under investigation by the Hamilton County Sheriff's Traffic Safety Unit / Green Township Police Investigative Unit.

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