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**MEDIA RELEASE**

**For Immediate Release**

Date: January 22, 2019

CASE: SO1903733

**Contact Person**

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**Warrant Arrest**

On January 18, 2019, a Rock County Sheriff's Office Detective was in the area of Kenwood Avenue and Hackett Street in the City of Beloit, when he observed Tequila Perkins and Brandon Gray in a vehicle. Perkins was driving the vehicle and Gray was the front passenger. Perkins and Gray had warrants for burglary through Winnebago County, Illinois. The Detective began following Perkins' vehicle, waiting for additional officers to get close in order to stop Perkins and Gray. Before the Detective could initiate a traffic stop, Perkins stopped her vehicle in the 300 block of Vernon Avenue. Gray exited the vehicle and ran away on foot. Perkins then left the area in the vehicle.

Deputies from the Rock County Sheriff's Office, along with City of Beloit Police and South Beloit Police, set up a perimeter to contain Gray. A K9 Unit from the Winnebago County, Illinois Sheriff's Office responded to the area and helped with tracking Gray.

Due to some snow on the ground, the Rock County Detective and the K9 Deputy from Winnebago County were able to track Gray to the back yard of 340 Highland Avenue. Gray was found hiding in a garage at this address. He was taken into custody without any further incident.

Gray was arrested for a Probation and Parole violation and on a warrant through Winnebago County, Illinois for residential burglary. Gray was taken to the Rock County Jail where he is currently being held.



Brandon Lee Gray  
DOB 01/13/1991

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