



ASHLAND COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE

Sheriff Michael W. Brennan

NEWS MEDIA RELEASE

Date: July 14, 2016
Release: Immediate
Authority: Sheriff Michael Brennan
Re: Flood Related Death

On July 14, 2016 at approximately 6:24 A.M., the Ashland County Communications Center received a 911 telephone call reporting a deceased man in a pickup truck in the floodwaters of the Marengo River on Riemer Road in the Township of White River. Ashland County Sheriff's Deputies, volunteers from the Marengo Fire Department, the Ashland County Coroner, and Ashland Fire Department Paramedics responded to the scene.

The truck was located in the water south of the bridge over the Marengo River approximately twelve feet east of the roadway. The man was confirmed to be deceased and was identified as Elmer M. Lippo, 82, of Marengo. Lippo was an elected Supervisor for the Town of Marengo.

The incident remains under investigation by the Ashland County Sheriff's and Coroner's Offices. Funeral arrangements are pending through the Frost Home for Funerals.