

MEDIA RELEASE

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Marijuana Seizure – County Road 247

Sheriff Jimmy Harris states as follows:

On June 16, 2009 Dekalb County Sheriff's Deputies Lt. Josh York, Sgt. Gary Brown, and Reserve Officer Troy Young along with Alabama State Troopers Ranger Wright and Josh Woods and the Dekalb County Drug Task Force went to the residence of Ann Hall and Larry Day on County Road 247 in the Lickskillet community, to serve an arrest warrant. When deputies arrived they detected a strong odor of marijuana coming from the residence. Deputies asked the subjects for their consent to search the property and were denied. A search warrant was then obtained and executed. During the search, deputies found approximately 2 pounds of growing marijuana on the property. Hall and Day were arrested and each charged with Unlawful Possession of Marijuana 1st Degree. Both were transported to the Dekalb County Jail and released on bond.

Sheriff Harris said, "Because of the officers awareness they were able to seize these drugs. If not for their attention to detail it could have gone unnoticed. I'm proud of the work that they did on this case."

