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HALE COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE MAKES ARREST IN AKRON HOMICIDE

GREENSBORO – At approximately 5:30 pm today, the Hale County Sheriff's Office took Deshawn M. Williams, b/m, age 34 of Moundville into custody and charged him with the murder of Edward Coley of Akron. Mr. Williams was processed and booked into the Hale County Jail, pending further action from the court. Mr. William's bond has been set at \$500,000 by District Court Judge Timothy Evans. Sheriff Ellis wished to thank the Alabama State Bureau of Investigation for their diligent assistance with this case. The Sheriff also wished to thank the Akron community for the numerous tips and information provided to us while we were working on this case, "because the people of this community came together to seek justice for their neighbor, a murder suspect is behind bars tonight".