



SCOTT COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE

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BENTON, MISSOURI - Scott County Sheriff Rick Walter said today that four Scott County residents were arrested in connection with a methamphetamine laboratory. Walter said Deputy Jeremy Perrien, working an undercover narcotics investigation received information the suspects were involved in illegal drug activity at the residence outside Miner. On Tuesday a search warrant was obtained for the residence, and served by the (S.E.R.T) Sheriff's Emergency Response Team. Officers searching the residence located chemicals and other precursors associated with the manufacturing process of methamphetamine. Marijuana and drug paraphernalia along with a substance believed to be methamphetamine was also located.

Sheriff Walter stated that he would like to thank the Miner Police Department for their assistance during the search warrant.

The names of the suspects are being withheld pending the issuance of the arrest warrants.