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MCSO Deputies arrest Police Officer for OWI and Resisting Law Enforcement

On Monday, August 16th, 2021 at approximately 2:02 AM Monroe County Sheriff's Office Deputies were dispatched to an attempt to locate on a Dodge Charger southbound on Interstate 69 that was reported to be speeding and all over the roadway. Deputies located the vehicle and conducted a traffic stop just south of the Kinser Pike overpass.

The driver was identified as Brian Joseph Hedger, a thirty-eight year old male who resides in Plainfield, Indiana. Deputies observed that the Dodge Charger being driven by Mr. Hedger was an unmarked police vehicle. Mr. Hedger informed MCSO Deputies that he was a police officer with the Cadiz (Indiana) Police Department and provided credentials. MCSO Deputies quickly began an operating while intoxicated investigation.

A search warrant to draw Mr. Hedger's blood was obtained and samples were drawn at IU Health Bloomington Hospital. The toxicology results are pending.

Mr. Hedger was remanded to the custody of the Monroe County Correctional Center for the charges of:

- Operating a vehicle while intoxicated with a previous conviction, as a Level 6 Felony
- Resisting law enforcement, as a Class A Misdemeanor