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## FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE OSHKOSH POLICE DEPARTMENT

Date: 02-18-2018 Time: 9:00PM

Contact: Officer Kate Mann

Public Affairs/ Crime Prevention

(920)236-5742

Subject: Suspect in Custody, Party to the Crime of Homicide

On 02/18/2018 at approximately 7:30PM, officers took an adult male, later identified as James B Lussier, into custody for several charges. Law enforcement officials discovered upon further investigation that James was in the City of Oshkosh and was taken into custody without incident by Oshkosh Police Officers in conjunction with agents from the Division of Criminal Investigation.

James Lussier was wanted in connection with the homicide of Wayne Valliere that occurred in Iron Co, Wisconsin on 12/22/2017.

James Lussier was taken into custody for Party to a Crime-Conspiracy to Commit 1<sup>st</sup> Degree Homicide and Failure to Appear-Resisting/Obstructing in Vilas Co. (related to the homicide investigation). He also was arrested for an outstanding warrant through the Marathon Co. Sheriff's office.

If anybody has any information regarding this incident, they are encouraged to contact the Oshkosh Police Department at 920-236-5700.

If you have information about this incident, but wish to remain anonymous, please contact the Winnebago County Crime Stoppers at (920) 231-8477; or add the free P3 App to your Apple or Android phone and add a tip; or go to www.winnebagocrimestoppers.org to submit a text tip. If your tip leads to an arrest, you may be eligible for a cash reward.