



COLLINSVILLE POLICE DEPARTMENT

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PRESS RELEASE

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On 9/15/19 at approximately 2135 hours, the Collinsville Police Department responded to a residence in the 500 block of S. Clinton for a report of a male suffering from a self-inflicted, accidental gunshot wound to the chest. The male was treated on scene by responding officers and members of the Collinsville Fire Department prior to being transport to a St. Louis area hospital.

A thorough investigation into the incident uncovered evidence that the fiancé of the victim shot him during the course of a domestic dispute. On 9/25/19, the Madison County State's Attorney's office issued an information charging Ciara L. Moss, 34, with one count of Attempted Murder (Class X felony), one count Aggravated Battery with a Firearm (Class X felony), and one count Aggravated Discharge of a Firearm (Class 1 felony). The Honorable Judge Janet Heflin set bond at \$250,000.

As of 9/27/19, Ciara Moss remains at large. The Collinsville Police Department is actively seeking Moss. If you have information on the whereabouts of Moss, please contact the Collinsville Police Department at 618-344-2131 or Crimestoppers at 866-371-8477. The victim remains hospitalized and is expected to survive his injuries.