

On Tuesday, February 26<sup>th</sup> at 9:30 am, Warren County Sheriff's Office Deputy initiated a traffic stop on a vehicle at Veteran's Memorial Boulevard and Barren River Road. The vehicle had committed numerous traffic violations. Upon traffic stop, 28-year-old Daniel Nunez of Bowling Green was identified as a passenger in the vehicle. Sheriff's Deputy detected the odor of marijuana coming from his person. Nunez was asked to exit the vehicle. Upon his exiting, he admitted to having marijuana on his person and would not comply with the deputy's commands. Nunez began to resist and attempted to fight with the deputy. A struggle continued on the ground near the vehicle when a passerby stopped and assisted the deputy in subduing Nunez. During the altercation, a loaded handgun fell out of Nunez's pocket. It was later determined that the firearm was entered stolen by the Warren County Sheriff's Office through a recent burglary investigation. Nunez illegally possessed multiple types of drugs and a large quantity of U.S. currency. Nunez was lodged in the Warren County Regional Jail. The investigation continues.

Nunez's charges include: Trafficking in Controlled Substance First Degree (Methamphetamine), Trafficking Controlled Substance Third Degree, Receiving Stolen Property (Firearm), Assault Third Degree (Police Officer), Possession of Marijuana, Resisting Arrest, and Fleeing or Evading Police Second Degree (On Foot).