



# News Release

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**Kenneth Coontz, Chief of Police**

**For Immediate Release**

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**No. #9**

**Subject: Missing Person**

The Mansfield Division of Police Major Crimes Unit has been actively investigating the disappearance of local resident, Patsy Hudson who was reported missing by her family on December 22, 2015. During the course of the investigation and over the last few days, several leads were developed which led investigators to multiple crimes scenes in northern Richland County. With the assistance of the Richland County Sheriff's Office and other local and state agencies, human remains believed to be that of Patsy Hudson, were recovered at the multiple sites. A positive identification of the remains is still pending by the Richland County Coroner's Office. Our thoughts are with Ms. Hudson's family during this difficult time and as we await the Coroner's report.

The Mansfield Division of Police will hold a Press Conference in the coming days in reference to this case which is ongoing. Anyone with additional information is asked to contact Major Crimes Lieutenant Rob Skropits at (419) 755-9724.



Patsy G. Hudson  
W/F/ 62  
08/13/1953  
5'06 – 150lbs