



# LEON COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE

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## **LCSO Arrests Man, Discovers Cash, Drugs and Weapons**

On Friday, July 28, shortly before 2:30 a.m. a Leon County Sheriff's Office deputy on routine patrol stopped to check a vehicle that appeared to be disabled on Appleyard Drive at Pensacola Street. When the deputy approached the vehicle, she observed the driver, asleep behind the wheel.

When the deputy awoke the driver, he showed signs of impairment and refused a field sobriety test.

During the investigation, a search of the vehicle led to the discovery of two firearms, as well as methamphetamine, fentanyl, heroin and \$15,000 in cash.

The driver, identified as 54-year-old Lawrence Lingle, was arrested, and transported to the Leon County Detention facility.

Anyone with information about this incident or any other illegal drug activity is encouraged to call detectives at 850-606-3400. You can also be eligible for a cash reward of up to \$1,000 for reporting tips anonymously to Crime Stoppers by calling 850-574-TIPS.



**NAME:** Lawrence Lingle

**DOB:** 09/20/1968

**CHARGES:**

- Driving Under the Influence
- Possession of Firearm, Ammo or Concealed Weapon by Convicted Felon
- Amphetamine/Methamphetamine Trafficking 14 grams or More
- Possession of Controlled Substance (2 counts)
- Heroin Possession with Intent to Sell Mfr Deliver Schedule I
- Possession of Legend Drug with Intent to Sell w/o Prescription
- Use or Possession with Intent to Use Drug Paraphernalia

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