



UTICA POLICE DEPARTMENT



PRESS RELEASE

Brief Description of Incident: The Utica Police are investigating a case of a animal cruelty committed on a 9 year old tortoise named Cecil. Cecil is approximately 40-50 lbs and 3-4 feet in diameter. Cecil somehow got out of an enclosure on July 12th and while out sustained a large whole to his shell. The animal is the pet of a Wilbur St resident located on the city's north side. The police are asking that anyone with information please contact the Utica Police at 223-2461.

Suspects/ Persons Arrested:

Units/ Departments Involved:

Utica Police Patrol division and Animal Control

