PRESS RELEASE

Follow-up
Update DeKalb County 911

The DeKalb County 911 system has been temporarily operational since about 1:30 a.m. as all DeKalb County 911 calls are being routed to the DeKalb County Sheriff’s Office, and are then being transferred to all appropriate agencies. It is possible a 911 caller may receive a busy signal because under current circumstances only one 911 call can be received at a time. If a busy signal is received, we recommend caller call their local law enforcement or fire agency’s 10-digit number or retry 911. For rural DeKalb County the 10-digit number is 815-895-2155, for DeKalb Police is 815-748-8400, Sycamore Police is 815-895-2123, Genoa Police is 815-784-2526, Sandwich Police is 815-786-2131, and NIU Police is 815-753-1212.

All agencies listed can contact appropriate Fire Departments.

Sheriff Roger Scott