



“Incarcerated Individual Apprehended Following Escape from Court-Ordered Treatment Facility”

Carroll County, Maryland; September 10, 2026 ---- On September 10, 2026, at approximately 3:30 p.m., Robert Andrew Bloom, an incarcerated individual in the custody of the Carroll County Detention Center, absconded from the Orenda treatment facility located on Buckeystown Pike in Frederick County, where he had been court-ordered to participate in drug treatment.

Earlier in the day, Carroll County Detention Center deputies were notified that Bloom had violated the terms of his treatment program and would be discharged from the facility and remanded to the Carroll County Detention Center.

As Carroll County deputies arrived at the Orenda facility, they observed Bloom flee from the rear of the facility and enter a wooded area. Deputies subsequently located Bloom’s GPS ankle monitor, which had been cut off.

The Frederick County Sheriff’s Office immediately responded to the area, established a perimeter, and initiated an extensive search for Bloom. The search included the use of drones, K-9 teams, and a Maryland State Police helicopter.

Following a comprehensive search of the surrounding area, Frederick County Sheriff’s Office deputies located Bloom and took him into custody.

Bloom is being returned to the Carroll County Detention Center, where he will be charged with Second-Degree Escape. The Frederick County Sheriff’s Office also has additional charges pending against Bloom related to his arrest.

The Carroll County Sheriff’s Office appreciates the partnership, assistance, and diligent efforts of the Frederick County Sheriff’s Office in helping to locate and safely take Bloom into custody.