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Threat made to Law Enforcement

On December 7, 2017, at approximately 5:38 pm, the Weld County Sheriff's Office received information about an individual identified as Tyson Edward Mercer DOB 10/21/2002, who allegedly told his mother, he wanted to "shoot up the Weld County Sheriff's Office SWAT bay and command bus".

Mercer has made multiple threats to kill law enforcement if he is contacted. Mercer is believed to be armed with a 1911 .45 caliber and Ruger LC9. Mercer is considered armed and dangerous and should only be contacted by law enforcement.

Mercer was last seen in a 1990's Subaru Impreza hatchback with faded red paint. The driver of the vehicle is described as a 17-20-year-old Hispanic male; his exact identity is unknown.

The Weld County Sheriff's Office is concerned about Mercer and is looking for any information regarding his location. If you have any information, please call the numbers listed below.

Anyone with information regarding this or any other crime is asked to call the Weld County Sheriff's Office at 970-356-4015 or Northern Colorado Crime Stoppers at **1-800-222-TIPS (8477)** or **1-800-444-3776**. **Tips can also be submitted through the Crime Stoppers website at www.crimeshurt.com. Those submitting tips through Crime Stoppers that lead to the arrest and filing of charges on a suspect(s) may be eligible for a cash reward of up to \$2,000 from Crime Stoppers.**

Steve Reams – Sheriff