

## **LARRY WHEELON BARN RAIDED**

Around 7 am on Thursday, April 18, 2013 well known horse trainer and industry leader, Larry Wheelon of Maryville, TN had his barn raided by the USDA and the Blount County Sheriff's Dept.

The raid which lasted until 4 pm was conducted without Wheelon being allowed on his property. Wheelon told a news agency that they were inspecting the property after an abuse complaint and they didn't find anything.

The raid was very similar to a raid that occurred in 2011 in Shelbyville, TN at a barn occupied at the time by trainer, Jackie McConnell.