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MEDIA RELEASE

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(Arrest -Shots Fired)

Salisbury Police arrest subject for a shots fired incident that occurred early Saturday morning.

On May 7, 2022 at approximately 00:32 in the morning, officers of the Salisbury Police Department were dispatched to Mojors, 213 E. Main Street, for the report of shots fired. Upon their arrival, officers discovered multiple patrons exiting the business.

Through the course of the investigation, officers spoke with representatives of Mojors and learned that a male patron had removed a black in color handgun from his waistband and waved it in a provocative manner for other patrons in the business to observe. The subject then exited the business, fired a single gunshot in the air while outside, and fled the business on foot. Shortly thereafter the subject was observed fleeing the area in a vehicle.

Upon receiving a police radio broadcast with suspect and vehicle information, officers observed a vehicle matching the description exiting the parking lot of Royal Farms, located at 101 N. Salisbury Boulevard. Officers were able to conduct a traffic stop on the vehicle wherein they made contact with the driver and sole occupant, identified as 29-year-old Wendell Cannon. The investigation revealed that Mr. Cannon was the suspect in the incident and he was taken into custody without incident. Mr. Cannon was then transported to the Salisbury Police Department and later released to the Wicomico County Detention Center where he had an initial appearance before a District Court Commissioner.

Subsequent to Mr. Cannon's arrest, a probable cause search of the vehicle Mr. Cannon was operating was conducted and a black in color, loaded semi-automatic handgun was located and recovered.

This investigation is ongoing and the Salisbury Police Department requests anyone with information regarding this incident to contact the Salisbury Police Department at (410) 548-3165. Information can also be provided anonymously through Crime Solvers at (410) 548-1776.



ARRESTED:

Wendell Cannon, 29 years-of-age
Seaford, DE

CHARGES:

Reckless Endangerment
Handgun on Person
Loaded Handgun on Person
Firearm Use in Violent Crime



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