

WINNEBAGO COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE		NEWS RELEASE NUMBER
NEWS MEDIA RELEASE		2016-028
INFORMATION: RESIDENTIAL BURGLARY ARREST		
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ON MONDAY, MARCH 14, 2016 THE WINNEBAGO COUNTY SHERIFF'S DETECTIVE BUREAU CONDUCTED SURVEILLANCE IN THE SOUTHWESTERN AREA OF WINNEBAGO COUNTY. THIS PART OF THE COUNTY HAD EXPERIENCED SEVERAL RESIDENTIAL BURGLARY INCIDENTS SINCE THE END OF FEBRUARY 2016.

A 911 CALL WAS RECEIVED ON MONDAY FROM 3739 S. HOISINGTON ROAD REGARDING A HOME INVASION IN PROGRESS. DEPUTIES AND DETECTIVES RESPONDED AND LOCATED THE SUSPECT VEHICLE IN THE AREA OF SURVEILLANCE. DETECTIVES PURSUED THE SUSPECT WHO FLED BACK TO ROCKFORD. AFTER A LENGTHY PURSUIT, THE SUSPECT FLED ON FOOT AND WAS CAPTURED BY DETECTIVES NEAR THE 2300 BLOCK OF GREEN STREET IN ROCKFORD.

THE SUSPECT WAS IDENTIFIED AS PRESTON V. SCOTT (D.O.B. 2/13/95) OF ROCKFORD. SCOTT IS CURRENTLY ON I.D.O.C. PAROLE FOR RESIDENTIAL BURGLARY. DETECTIVES WERE ABLE TO CLEAR 10 WINNEBAGO COUNTY RESIDENTIAL BURGLARY INCIDENTS AND 1 CITY OF ROCKFORD RESIDENTIAL BURGLARY. SCOTT WAS CHARGED WITH RESIDENTIAL BURGLARY, AGGRAVATED FLEEING TO ELUDE AND RESISTING ARREST.

THE CHARGES AGAINST SCOTT ARE MERELY ACCUSATIONS AND HE IS PRESUMED INNOCENT UNTIL PROVEN GUILTY IN A COURT OF LAW.

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> : SHERIFF : CHIEF DEPUTY : DEPUTY CHIEF OF DETECTIVE BUREAU : DEPUTY CHIEF OF PATROL BUREAU : DEPUTY CHIEF OF ADMINISTRATIVE BUREAU : DEPUTY CHIEF OF SUPPORT SERVICES : SUPERINTENDENT OF CORRECTIONS : ACCREDITATION MANAGER : MACHESNEY PARK SECTION SUPERVISOR : FOREST PRESERVE SECTION SUPERVISOR : ESDA SECTION DIRECTOR : PATROL ROLL CALL BOOK : PUBLIC INFORMATION OFFICER : 1ST FLOOR BULLETIN BOARD : WEB SITE COORDINATOR 	<p>SHERIFF GARY CARUANA</p> <hr/> <p>SUPERVISOR AUTHORIZING RELEASE</p> <p>DATE: <u>03/ 16 /16</u> TIME: <u>0800 HOURS</u></p>
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