



Town of Wallkill Police Department

MEDIA RELEASE

For Immediate Release
November 12, 2018

Incident: **Reported Hostage Situation - Update**
Location: **327 East Main Street, Town of Wallkill, N.Y.**
Date/Time: **November 11, 2018 / 7:38 pm**

On Sunday, November 11, 2018 at 7:38 pm, Officers from the Town of Wallkill Police Department responded to multiple reports that a person was being held hostage at gunpoint inside a second-floor apartment at 327 East Main Street. An investigation disclosed that the report was unfounded. Subsequently, Tyshawn Hargrove, 23 years old, a Walden, N.Y. resident, was arrested by Town of Wallkill Detective Jeremy Warner and charged with Criminal Possession of a Weapon Third Degree and Criminal Possession of a Stolen Property Fourth Degree after a 9mm Smith & Wesson Pistol was discovered at the scene. A check of the firearm serial number disclosed that it had previously been reported stolen. Hargrove was arraigned at the Town of Wallkill Court, before Judge Patrick Owen, where he was remanded to Orange County Jail on \$100,000 cash/ \$300,000 bond. He is scheduled to appear in the Town of Wallkill Court at 2:00 pm on Tuesday, November 13, 2018. The investigation into this incident is ongoing. The Town of Wallkill Police was assisted by members of the New York State Police, Orange County Sheriff's Office, City of Middletown Police Department, Town of Montgomery Police Department and the Orange County District Attorney's Office.

Robert C. Hertman
Chief of Police

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