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Date: April 2, 2016  
Time: 8:10 P.M.  
Contact: Officer Joseph Nichols  
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Subject: Suicidal Subject Taken into Custody

The Oshkosh Police Department has taken a 53 year-old male from Oshkosh into custody at about 7:30PM after the male had threatened to harm himself.

Oshkosh Police had responded to a home in the 1200 block of Eastman St. at about 5:30PM on today's date after it was reported that the male inside the home had made the threat.

Oshkosh Police negotiators contacted the male and the male exited the home and surrendered to Oshkosh Police without further incident.

The roads located in the general area were closed to vehicle and pedestrian traffic; and homes in the area had been evacuated. As of 8:10PM, homeowners in the area were allowed back to their homes and the road was opened.

The 53 year-old male is being taken to a local hospital for a mental evaluation. An arrest of the male is being withheld at this time as the incident continues to be under investigation.

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