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Subject: Disturbance with a Weapon in the 1100 Block of S Main St

OSHKOSH, WI (June 5, 2023): The Oshkosh Police Department is investigating a disturbance with a weapon inside of a residence located in the 1100 block of S Main Street in the City of Oshkosh.

On June 5, 2023 at approximately 12:07 AM, Officers were notified that there was a disturbance that took place inside of a residence involving several individuals. One male had been pointing a handgun at people and threatening to shoot them. He also got into a physical altercation with other individuals inside of the house. When Officers arrived on scene, they located two children on the second story balcony. These children had been able to escape from the home and officers were able to direct them safely to the ground. Several occupants were able to exit the residence. The male with the handgun and two small children (ages 1 and 2 years old) were still inside the home.

OPD's SWAT Team, Crisis Negotiations Team, and Drone Team responded to the scene. Winnebago County Sheriff's Office, State Patrol, Omro Police Department and University of Wisconsin Oshkosh Police Department also responded to assist.

The Oshkosh Police Department and the Winnebago County Sheriff's Office utilized their respective armored vehicles to help protect everyone on scene. The Winnebago County Sheriff's Office also brought their robot when they responded to the incident. Through the use of technology- notably the drones and robot, Officers were able to gain valuable information which helped to clear portions of the home. SWAT Officers entered the residence and during the search of the home, the two year old child willingly came into the arms of one of the SWAT Officers. Once the two year old child was safely removed from the home, SWAT Officers continued their search of the residence and located the male concealed under blankets, lying on his

stomach on an inflatable mattress. Located directly under him was the loaded handgun. The 35 year old male was safely taken into custody. Officers then located the one year old child who was also unharmed.

The 35 year old male had an outstanding warrant through Probation and Parole and is currently awaiting additional charges from this incident.

The safety of our citizens is always our top priority. We appreciated everyone's patience while we navigated this incident.

If anyone has information regarding this incident, they are encouraged to contact the Oshkosh Police Department at 920-236-5700. If you have information about this incident, but wish to remain anonymous, please contact the Winnebago County Crime Stoppers at 920-231-8477; or through the P3 App.