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Subject: Officer Involved Shooting

OSHKOSH, WI (June 29, 2023): The Oshkosh Police Department is releasing information regarding an Officer involved shooting that occurred near the Mill Street boat launch in the City of Oshkosh.

Information that was known to Officers at the time of the call was that earlier this morning, at approximately 6:18 AM, Officers from the Oshkosh Police Department received information that there was an intoxicated male walking around carrying a loaded rifle.

Officers were able to locate this male, who was carrying a rifle in his hands. Officers began talking with the subject in an attempt to de-escalate the situation and to try to get the male to put down the rifle which he refused to do. Officers attempted to use less lethal rounds but the subject continued to hold the rifle in his hands. The male then began to raise the rifle and point it at Officers. At this time an Officer fired his duty issued rifle, striking the subject one time.

The Winnebago County Sheriff's Office is at the scene and is conducting the investigation of this incident.

The Officer is not injured.

The involved person in the shooting was transported to a local hospital for non-life-threatening injuries.

There is currently no threat to public safety and Oshkosh Police are not looking for any additional individuals related to this matter.

Further information will be released when it becomes available from the Winnebago County Sheriff's Office.