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Subject: Weapons Incident

(Oshkosh, WI) On April 24, 2024, at 4:08 PM officers and detectives from the Oshkosh Police Department responded to a weapons complaint in the 800 block of Central Street. Information was received that an individual had been discharging a firearm in the residence.

A short time later the suspect exited the residence and was taken into custody without incident. The investigation revealed multiple bullets penetrated the walls of the home and also impacted an adjacent residence. No one was injured as a result of this.

Information was received about a firearm, set up facing the entrance door of a residence, was rigged to fire upon individuals opening the door. Officers and detectives worked to ensure the situation was safe using ladders to access the house, prioritizing public safety. After entering the residence, the firearm was confirmed to be unloaded and the setup up was rendered safe.

A further search revealed further alarming findings. Child sexual abuse materials were found in the suspect's possession.

The suspect is a 25-year-old Oshkosh man. He has been placed in jail on multiple criminal charges including the following:

- 8 counts of recklessly endangering safety
- 2 counts of criminal damage to property
- endangering safety by setting a spring gun
- 3 counts of possession of child pornography

The City of Oshkosh Police Department takes such matters very seriously. Our Investigation is rigorous and ongoing, especially surrounding the newly discovered child sexual assault materials.

We urge residents to report suspicious activities immediately to aid us in maintaining public safety.

The prompt action of those who reported the reckless firearm discharge potentially prevented a dangerous situation.

For more information, please contact the Oshkosh Police Department at 920-236-5700 or make an anonymous call to Crime Stoppers at 920-231-8477. You can also report such information through the P3 App. Remember, your effort can make a huge difference in helping keep our community safe.

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