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Suspect Arrested for Reckless Discharge of a Firearm

Gurnee – On May 21, 2020, shortly before 5:00 PM, Gurnee officers responded to the area of Magnolia Avenue and Grand Avenue for a report of shots fired.

Responding officers located two juvenile subjects matching the description provided by the 911 caller as being involved. After a thorough investigation, officers determined four individuals were involved in an altercation, including the two subjects located by Gurnee officers. As officers took one juvenile into custody, the second juvenile fled the area on foot. Officers established a perimeter, and a search for the subject, utilizing a police K9, produced negative results.

No one was injured during the altercation. This was an isolated incident, and there appears to be no immediate threat to the public.

Charges for the juvenile taken into custody were pursued through the juvenile court system.

All other suspects involved during the incident have been identified, and further investigation is being conducted.

Suspects accused of a crime are presumed innocent until proven guilty in a court of law.