



OFFICIAL MEDIA RELEASE KENT COUNTY SHERIFF DEPARTMENT



Date: August 8, 2014
Complaint Number: 14-134817
Type of Incident: 911 Trouble Call
Location: 7439 Eastern Ave S.E., Gaines Township

UPDATE – AUGUST 8, 2014

On Friday August 8, 2014, the Kent County Prosecutor's Office authorized the following charges on Gregory Arnold, 55 years old, from Gaines Township:

- 1) Unlawful Imprisonment
- 2) Assault with a Dangerous Weapon (Felonious Assault)
- 3) Assaulting/Resisting/Obstructing a Police Officer
- 4) Malicious Destruction of a Building - \$200 or more, but less than \$1,000
- 5) Felon in Possession of a Firearm
- 6) Interfering with Electronic Communications

Arnold was arraigned in the 63rd District Court and is currently being held on a \$150,000 Cash Surety Bond.

ORIGINAL – AUGUST 7, 2014

On 8/7/14 at approximately 5:10am Kent County Dispatch received a 911 call from a cell phone. The female caller stated (in a hushed voice) the address of 7439 Eastern and added "send the Police, now" before hanging up. Several minutes later dispatch received an additional call, this time from a land line at 7439 Eastern. This time a female stated the address before hanging up.

With units from the Sheriff's Department on scene, dispatch was able to make phone contact with a male subject before the line disconnected.

Information was obtained that a male that resided at that address had several outstanding warrants, including a felony warrant for his arrest.

A search warrant was then obtained for the residence and executed by the Kent County Sheriff Department Tactical Team. This resulted in the arrest of the male subject on the outstanding warrants and the securing of an additional male subject and a female.

In a subsequent interview, Detectives learned that there had been a domestic dispute between the male and his wife of two years. That dispute had resulted in the female making the 911 calls.

The prosecutor's office will be reviewing the information to determine any additional charges.

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