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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

SUSPECT ARRESTED AFTER DOMESTIC INCIDENT INVOLVING RIFLE

A 36 year old Greenhills resident was taken into custody after he threatened to harm his family, barricaded himself inside the home, and subsequently fired a rifle blast through the front door. Greenhills police officers responded to a domestic disturbance at 46 Hadley Road at 1:56 AM on Sunday, September 18, 2016.

Gary M. Cozine, a resident at the home, was charged with:

- Discharging a Firearm into a Habitation, a second degree felony;
- Inducing Panic, a fifth degree felony;
- Domestic Violence, a first degree misdemeanor; and
- Using Weapons While Intoxicated, a first degree misdemeanor.

Cozine had been arrested previously in the day for Operating a Vehicle Under the Influence, and reportedly was involved in a fight at a bar before coming home. During the incident at his home, he threatened family members, who had to be taken out of the home to safety by officers through a rear bedroom window. The suspect refused to leave the home, and had access to multiple weapons. During the standoff, the suspect fired a single shot from a tactical rifle. The shot went through the window of the residence across the street, but no one was injured. Officers had evacuated the residents to the basement prior to the weapon discharge.



Gary M. Cozine

The suspect went to the roof of the residence, jumped down and surrendered to officers prior to deployment of the Hamilton County SWAT team. After booking, the suspect was transported to the Hamilton County Justice Center and incarcerated. The rifle, a shotgun, and other weapons were recovered from the residence.

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