



## News Release

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On 10-12-20 at approximately 0814 hours, officers from the Corvallis Police Department responded to the Cedar Creek Apartments (750 SW C Ave) for a report of an altercation between two subjects involving a gun. Officers arrived and located one of the involved parties, Tyler Morin (27) of Corvallis. The other party, Acacia Morin (23) of Corvallis, had left the scene prior to police arrival.

During the course of the investigation officers and detectives determined Tyler and Acacia engaged in a verbal argument regarding the state of their marriage. During the course of the verbal argument, Acacia became physically confrontational towards Tyler, striking him first with her hands, and then with a baseball bat.

Acacia then retrieved a handgun and became entangled with Tyler as he moved to defend himself from the handgun. During the ensuing struggle Acacia discharged the handgun one time, missing Tyler, but striking a nearby wall in the apartment. The bullet continued through the wall, traveling in close proximity to a male neighbor who was seated on the couch in his apartment. The bullet struck another wall and was later recovered by investigators. After discharging the handgun, Acacia exited the apartment, vandalised Tyler's vehicle, and then left the area in her own vehicle.

Acacia was later contacted by detectives, interviewed, and arrested on the following charges:

- Attempted Assault 1
- Assault 2 – Domestic Violence
- Coercion
- Menacing
- Unlawful Use of a Weapon
- Reckless Endangering

Acacia Morin is currently lodged at the Benton County Jail.

Note: At this time there is no additional information available related to this incident. Any updates on the investigation will be disseminated via a press release at a later date.

