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Barricaded Subject Arrested Following Domestic Violence Incident

RELEASE DATE: Jan. 25, 2023
CONTACT PERSON: On-duty PIO
CASE NUMBER: 24-3310

Gresham, Ore.— Officers responded to a report of a domestic disturbance in the 17000 block of SE Stark St., yesterday at approximately 11:00 p.m. Upon arrival, officers determined that the suspect, Dylan Burstell, 30, had barricaded himself in his apartment at this location. Burstell had a felony parole violation warrant with an original charge of Felon in Possession of a Firearm and officers determined there was probable cause to arrest Burstell on domestic violence charges. Burstell refused to surrender to officers and the East Metro SWAT and Crisis Negotiation Team (CNT) were called to respond to the scene.

Through the late hours of the night, CNT attempted to convince Burstell to surrender to law enforcement, but he refused. Pursuant to a signed search warrant, the East Metro SWAT team forced entry into the apartment, despite Burstell's best attempts to barricade the door and block the team's entry. Barricade materials included bathroom cabinetry which Burstell hastily ripped from the wall, causing a broken water pipe and flooding. Burstell was arrested and a loaded handgun was recovered from the apartment. The incident was resolved by approximately 7:00 a.m. this morning. Burstell was lodged at the Multnomah County Detention Center on suspicion of Domestic Violence Harassment and the aforementioned warrant.

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