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Press Release - Aggravated Assault Arrest

Date: 9-14-22

On 9-13-22, at 1:28 p.m. Bountiful Police responded to a report of an aggravated assault with a firearm in a parking lot at 640 South 750 East South in Bountiful. The juvenile victim reported he had been involved in a dispute with another juvenile male, which escalated to a handgun being brandished and fired. The juvenile male suspect reportedly fled the area in a vehicle. There were no injuries reported.

Bountiful High School was briefly placed on "lockout" status by the principal, while the initial response and investigation were conducted. Officers searched the area and were able to confirm the suspect and vehicle were gone. The dispute was confirmed to be an ongoing dispute between two juveniles. There was no continuing danger to Bountiful High School students or faculty. The principal released the "lockout" status and school later dismissed as normal at 2:20 p.m.

On 9-14-22 at 12:20 p.m. the juvenile suspect in this case was arrested by Bountiful Police Officers and was booked into a juvenile detention facility on charges of aggravated assault with a firearm, possession of dangerous weapon and discharge of a firearm in Bountiful City limits.

This investigation remains active. Anyone with information related to this crime should contact Bountiful Police Detectives at 801-298-6000.

