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\*\*\*NEWS RELEASE\*\*\*
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**VPD Report Number:** 17-107547 **Date/Time Occurred:** 12-25-17 / 2350 hrs.

**Type of Incident:** Assault w/ Deadly Weapon Location: 1800 Block S. Court

## Name of Business (if applicable):

Suspect:Age:Arrested:1. Tyler Gorman33Yes

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**Details:** On 12/25/17 at approximately 2350 hours officers were dispatched to the report of a fight in progress. When

officers arrived on the 1800 block of S. Court they learned the victim, Derek Johnson (23) had been transported by private vehicle to the hospital where he was being treated for a stab wound to his upper arm. Officers were able to locate the suspect not far from the scene and take him into custody. Further investigation revealed the two men became involved in a physical altercation. During the altercation, (S) Tyler Gorman produced an edged weapon and struck the victim in the upper arm causing a minor laceration. (S) Gorman was booked at the Adult Pre-Trial Facility for Felony Assault with a Deadly Weapon charges. The victim's injuries were not life threatening.

**Arresting / Investigating Officer:** Patrol Division **Supervisor:** Sgt. Christopher T. Jennings

