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*****NEWS RELEASE*****
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VPD Report Number: 17-58745

Date/Time Occurred: 7/20/2017 0051 hrs.

Type of Incident: Negligent Discharge of a Firearm

Location: 3360 S. Fairway

Name of Business (if applicable):

Suspect:

Age:

Arrested:

1. Berard, Aaron
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Yes

Details: On the listed date and time, Officers responded to the listed location regarding shots being fired. Upon arrival, they located evidence to substantiate that a shooting had taken place. During the investigation, Aaron Berard became the focus of the investigation as the one responsible for the shooting. A short time later, he was contacted during a traffic stop in the area where additional evidence was located linking him to the earlier reported shooting. No injuries were reported as a result of the shooting and no victims have come forward. Berard was booked for Negligent Discharge of a Firearm and two counts of Possession of a Loaded Concealed Firearm.

Arresting / Investigating Officer: Patrol

Supervisor: Sgt. Gerrit De Jong

