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### **SUBJECT ARRESTED FOLLOWING AGGRAVATED DOMESTIC ASSAULT**

SUFFOLK, VA (October 24, 2018) Suffolk Police have arrested an individual following their investigation of an Aggravated Domestic Assault that occurred Sunday morning, October 21, 2018.

Emergency Communications was contacted at approximately 5:20 a.m. and responded to the 2000 block of Kilby Lane for the report of an aggravated assault. Upon arrival at the residence two injured subjects were located, including an adult male suffering from a gunshot wound and an adult female suffering from a stab wound. Both individuals received emergency medical assessment and treatment by Suffolk Fire & Rescue personnel before being transported to local hospitals for further treatment of non-life threatening injuries.

Following their investigation it was determined that the adult female had been stabbed and then shot the adult male in self-defense. David Paul Rice, age 52, of Suffolk, was arrested following his release from the hospital Tuesday evening on charges including Attempted Murder in the First Degree, Abduction by Force, 3<sup>rd</sup> Offense Domestic Assault, Aggravated Malicious Wounding, and Shoot/Cut/Stab or Wound with Intent to

Maim or Kill. He is currently being held without bond at Western Tidewater Regional Jail.

The adult female has been released from the hospital suffering from serious injuries and isn't facing any criminal charges related to this incident.

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