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PRESS RELEASE

MOUNT PROSPECT POLICE ARREST MAN FOR RECKLESS DISCHARGE OF A FIREARM



Justin M. Price

On June 7, 2023, the Mount Prospect Police Department arrested and charged Justin M. Price, 32 years old, of 2348 S. Cannon Drive, Mount Prospect, IL with one felony count of Reckless Discharge of a Firearm and one felony count of Aggravated Unlawful Use of a Weapon by a Convicted Felon. These charges stem from an investigation into a report of shots fired in the 2300 block of S. Cannon Drive.

On June 7, 2023, at approximately 12:07 PM, Mount Prospect Police Officers responded to the 2300 block of S. Cannon Drive for a report of a male subject who was seen firing a gun into the air. Officers located a shell casing in the parking lot in front of 2348 S. Cannon Drive. Based on the investigation, officers were able to identify Justin M. Price as the person shooting the gun in the parking lot of the apartment complex. Officers also located damage to the windshield of Price's vehicle, consistent with being struck by a bullet, as well as another shell casing and a live round of ammunition inside his vehicle. A handgun was recovered from Price's apartment during the investigation.



The Cook County State's Attorney's Office approved two felony charges, Reckless Discharge of a Firearm and Aggravated Unlawful Use of a Weapon by a Convicted Felon, against Price. On June 8, Price was taken to a bond hearing where his bond was set at \$20,000 cash bond. His next court date is June 30, 2023 at 9:00 AM in room 108 of the 3rd District Courthouse of Cook County in Rolling Meadows.

The public is reminded that criminal charges are not evidence of guilt and that all defendants in a criminal case are presumed innocent unless and until proven guilty in a court of law.

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