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NEWS RELEASE

Sheboygan Police Investigate Accidental Discharge of Firearm

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

DATE: 8/26/2019

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CASE NO. C19-17115

On 8/26/19 at 1:54 AM the Sheboygan County Dispatch Center received a call from a woman in the 1800 block of S. 11th Street reporting that a gunshot struck a private residence.

Law enforcement arrived and determined that a neighbor had accidentally discharged two shots, and this incident was not directly targeted to the private residence. There is no continuing danger to the greater public, and no one was injured as a result of this incident.

The neighbor, a 40-year-old Sheboygan man, was arrested and was taken to the Sheboygan County Detention Center. He is being referred to the Sheboygan County District Attorney's office for charges of Recklessly Endangering Safety and Intoxicated Use of a Firearm,

While the incident is resolved with the arrest of the neighbor, anyone with additional information about the incident is asked to contact the Sheboygan Police Department at (920)459-3333.