



ST. LOUIS COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE NEWS RELEASE

INCIDENT DATE: 12-19-2015 INCIDENT TIME: 1005
INCIDENT LOCATION: Gnesen Township

INDIVIDUAL(S) INVOLVED: (Refer to News Media Policy-Rules III A.1 Thru 4: Procedures B.1, A thru J & 1; 2b; 3b; g & h; 4a, b, & c)

Name: Male Age: 36 Address: Duluth
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INCIDENT SUMMARY:

St. Louis Co. Sheriff's Deputies responded to a burglary report along Pequaywan Lake Road this morning, while enroute Hugo's Bar and Restaurant in Brimson, also reported a gas drive off and described the suspect and his vehicle as being a gray Nissan Xterra SUV. The vehicle matched the description of a suspect vehicle that was seen in the area of recent burglaries. Sheriff's Deputies quickly located and attempted to stop the vehicle, which fled south along the Pequaywan Lake Road. The suspect eventually fled on foot in the area of Normanna Road and Howard Gnesen Road. The suspect attempted to gain access to a residence and eventually hid in the garage. Deputies requested assistance from the Duluth Police and a perimeter was established around the garage. Forced entry was made to the garage and the suspect was taken into custody after a brief struggle.

ASSISTING AGENCIES:

Duluth Police Department and Minnesota DNR.

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ADDITIONAL INFORMATION OR UPDATE:

The suspect was treated at St. Lukes Hospital for precautionary measures prior to lodging him on numerous felony charges. The incident(s) remains under investigation by the St. Louis County Sheriff's Office.

AUTHORITY: Sgt. Brent Donahue DATE: 12/19/15 TIME: 1700