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From: Officer James Young Jr.

Re: Attempted Murder

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On February 28, 2007, at 6:34 pm, a 911 call was received reporting a breaking and entering in progress at 70 Pleasant St. The caller reported a man had broken her front window and was attempting to gain entry. A second call was received from the White Hen Pantry, reporting a stabbing victim was hiding in the store and the alleged attacker was trying to get to the victim. Officer Gordon Wentworth, Officer Steven Cacciapouti, and Officer James Young Jr. responded to 70 Pleasant St. Officer Cacciapouti and Officer Young Jr., stopped a male fitting the description in the immediate vicinity of the crime. Officer Cynthia Johnson, Officer Steven Yurkevicius, and Seargent Michaela Kelley responded to the White Hen Pantry located at the corner of Main St. and Pleasant St. Through investigation, it was determined the two calls were directly related.

The victim, Francisca Rosario, reported that she had been stabbed by her fiancée, Tuan Nguyen. After being held against her will for a period of time, the victim was able to escape the apartment and went to a neighbor's apartment. While at the neighbor's, Nguyen broke the front window and began to crawl in through the window saying he intended to kill her and the person hiding her. The victim fled through a back window and ran to the White Hen Pantry as the suspect chased her. The victim entered the store frantically, with blood on her clothing and leaving a trail of blood into the store. Ms. Rosario was pleading for help and saying her fiancée was trying to kill her. Nguyen followed the victim into the store trying to get her to leave and saying he was going to kill her.

Nguyen was stopped a short distance from the White Hen Pantry by Officer Cacciapouti and Officer Young Jr. Nguyen matched the description given, had blood stains on his clothing and was barefoot. Nguyen was then taken into custody. Although Nguyen has not been positively identified by the Webster Police, the victim states Nguyen is currently on probation for domestic assaults against her in the past.

Nguyen is being charged with Attempted Murder, Kidnapping, Assault and Battery with a Dangerous Weapon, Domestic Assault and Battery, two (2) counts of Threatening to Commit Murder, Breaking and Entering in the Nighttime to Commit a Felony, and Wantonly Injuring Real or Personal Property.

Ms. Rosario is being treated for her injuries at Hubbard Regional Hospital and has obtained an emergency restraining order.