



NASHUA POLICE DEPARTMENT

PRESS RELEASE

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On September 4, 2017 at approximately 8:29 pm, Nashua Police Department arrested Patrick Flaven, age 32, of 53 Tenby Drive, Nashua, New Hampshire, for Reckless Conduct, Class B Felony.

On September 4, 2017 at approximately 5:10 pm, officers from the Nashua Police Patrol Division received a complaint that Patrick Flaven fired a handgun during a domestic related argument earlier in the day. Based on the nature of the offenses, Detectives from the Special Investigations Division were notified.

A female, who is in a relationship with Flaven, reported the two had an argument at a Nashua residence. During the argument, Flaven discharged the firearm. The projectile from the firearm traveled out of the residence Flaven and the victim were in and struck a nearby residence. The projectile penetrated into the nearby residence, but did not strike the resident who was home at the time. The female also reported that she was threatened by Flaven, that he assaulted her, and that he prevented her from calling the police for help during the incident. The victim sustained minor injuries from the assault.

Patrol officers arrested Flaven at his residence without further incident. Based on the investigation, Flaven was also charged with Reckless Conduct, Class B Felony; Criminal Threatening, Class B Felony; Domestic Violence-Criminal Threatening, Class B Felony; four counts of Simple Assault, Class A Misdemeanor; four counts of Domestic Violence- Simple Assault, Class A Misdemeanors; Obstructing the Report of a Crime, Class A Misdemeanor; and Domestic Violence- Obstructing the Report of a Crime, Class A Misdemeanor.

Each Class B Felony is punishable up to seven years in prison, exclusive of fines. Each Class A Misdemeanor is punishable up to one year in the jail, exclusive of fines. Flaven was held on \$100,000.00 Cash Bail pending his arraignment at the Hillsborough County Superior Court on September 5, 2017.

The Nashua Police Department requests anyone with more information about this incident to contact the Crime Line at (603) 589-1665. You can also follow the Nashua Police Department on Twitter @NashuaPolice.



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