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INFORMATION RELEASE

Subject: Assault 3rd Degree

Date: 05/10/08

From: Sergeant Chris Burke

Case or Incident: 080510-005

Summary: On 05/10/08, approximately 0119 hours, the Juneau Police Department received a report of a 30-year-old female who had been strangled by her 44-year-old ex-boyfriend. Officers responded and talked to the female victim. She told officers she and her ex were arguing over their children and her new boyfriend. They were seated in her vehicle going to get their children, when the man allegedly put his left forearm across her throat. He pushed against her throat until she could not breathe. After the alleged assault, he got out of the vehicle and drove off in his vehicle.

Officers located 44-year-old John Falls as he drove on Egan Drive near the retaining wall. Upon contact, Falls was placed under arrest for misdemeanor Driving While Intoxicated and Assault in the Third Degree a class C Felony. Falls was lodged without bail at the Lemon Creek Correctional Center.

Any charges reported in this press release are merely accusations and the defendants are presumed innocent unless and until proven guilty.

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