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INFORMATION RELEASE

Subject: Assault III

Date: 03-25-09

From: Sgt. Burke

Case or Incident # 090325-017

Summary:

On 03-25-09 about 1806 hours, JPD received a report of a disturbance at a valley residence. A male called and said his roommate who was intoxicated had been arguing with him then pointed a BB gun at him threatening to shoot him.

On arrival, investigation revealed 46-year-old Juneau resident Mark Clark had reportedly threatened a 53-year-old male with a BB gun after a disagreement between the two men over getting a ride to town. The 53-year-old male defended himself and went to his room to call the police.

Subsequently, Clark was placed under arrest for Assault in the 3rd degree DV (C felony) against the 53-year-old male. He was additionally charged with Misconduct Involving a Weapon in the 3rd degree (C felony) for residing in a residence knowing there was a weapon that could be concealed on a person after being convicted of a felony. He was lodged at Lemon Creek Correctional Center without bail.

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