

Patrol Narrative

On Monday May 23, 2016 at approximately 0133 hours Car 321, Ptlm Benoit, was dispatched to [REDACTED] for report of a disturbance. As patrolman Place approached the front of the residence he observed a disturbance to be occurring on the front porch. Ptlm Place approached the Porch and observed a subject who later identified herself as Carolinmar Torres (DOB [REDACTED]/1990) breaking glass items on the Porch. Ptlm Place gave loud verbal commands for Torres to stop and approached her. As he approached Torres spun towards him attempting to strike his face with her open hand. Ptlm Place attempted to gain control of Torres when she became more combative. While Ptlm. Place was struggling with Torres, Kassandra Mercedes (DOB [REDACTED] 1997) who was also breaking items in the house turned her attention to the struggle and jumped onto the back of Ptlm Place in an attempt to pull him from Torres. Ptlm Place pushed Mercedes off of him, and while attempting to create distance from them, he began pulling Torres down the stairs of the Porch.

Ptlm Benoit arrived on scene, and observing multiple subjects surrounding and assaulting Ptlm Place began to give loud verbal commands and push subjects off the stairs. Mercedes continually attempted to interfere in the effect of the arrest of Torres. As Ptlm. Place was dragging Torres she bit his leg breaking through the skin and drawing blood. It should be noted that Ptlm Place dropped his flash light during that struggle with Torres. (Photos were later taken of the injury). Multiple strikes, wrestling, and pressure points, were used in an attempt to gain control of Torres who after biting Ptlm Place was still throwing punches and attempting to kick Police officers. As multiple members of the crowd advanced on Police they were forced to continually drag Torres while attempting to gain control. Police were finally able to secure Torres after making it to their cruisers.

As more officers arrived on scene the crowd began to disperse. Police observed Mercedes screaming in the street, and attempted to take her into custody. Mercedes began to flee, and was taken to the ground, while flailing and screaming, in an attempt to place her under arrest. At this time Yehuriel Marmol (DOB [REDACTED]/1992) began to approach Police. Ptlm Endres gave loud verbal commands for Marmol to stay back, but Marmol continually approached. Marmol continued to approach Ptlm. Place who was effecting the arrest of Mercedes. Ptlm. Endres was forced to Push back Marmol to create distance. Marmol was immediately taken into custody For Disorderly Obstruction for his participation in the disturbance and trying to prevent the arrest of Mercedes.

After Order was restored, Police were able to finally make contact with the Complainant [REDACTED] ob [REDACTED] who resides at [REDACTED] [REDACTED] stated that earlier in the night her and some friends were at Club Flow on Cranston Street and got into an argument with some individuals then returned home. [REDACTED] then told Police that two women she did not know, who were identified as Mercedes and Torres by Police, showed up at her house unexpectedly banging on her door. [REDACTED] saw Torres and Mercedes breaking the glass window next to the door, and opened the door to confront them. At this time Torres and Mercedes entered the residence and began destroying multiple items in the living room. It should be stated Police observed multiple glass objects to be broken and the living room to be in complete disarray. In addition to breaking items in the house [REDACTED] told Police that the two women began assaulting her [REDACTED] [REDACTED] [REDACTED] She did want to press charges, and [REDACTED] completed a witness statement regarding the altercation. [REDACTED] said that Police arrived as they were attempting to toss Mercedes and Torres out of the house.

Torres, Mercedes, and Marmol were all transported to central station and held for next session Sixth District Court.

Torres could not be positively identified due to a lack of Identification. She was charged with Simple Assault, Malicious Damage, Obstruction, and TOT Detectives for further charging.

Mercedes was charged with Simple Assault, Obstruction, and Malicious Damage.

Marmol was charged with Obstruction.

Car 325 Sergeant Partridge was on scene.

Patrolman Place responded to Rodger Williams Hospital due to the injuries he sustained during the altercation. A bite through the skin and Swollen Thumb.

Det. O'Connell

On May 23, 2016 Carolinmar Torres (DOB [REDACTED]-90) was charged with 1 count of felony assault on a police officer. RIGL 11-5-5