

# Press Release

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## Assault Arrest

**Southern Leon County-** Leon County Sheriff Deputies arrest a Tallahassee man, charging him with Aggravated Assault with a Deadly Weapon after allegedly pointing a pistol at the victim in traffic.

Shortly after 5:15 PM, July 19<sup>th</sup>, deputies contacted the reported victim of the assault as she and the suspect stopped at a south side convenience store. The victim reported she was traveling northbound on the Crawfordville Highway when the suspect pulled along side her and pointed a gun at her. According to reports, the victim said the suspect was looking at her as he pointed the gun and she was in fear for her life to the extent she slammed on brakes to distance herself from the perceived threat.

Deputies interviewed the suspect, identified as Gregory Watson 9-24-65, who admitted to possessing a pistol, displaying it, and pointing it in the direction of the victim as he passed her. Watson told deputies he did not intend to point the pistol at the victim.

Watson was charged with Aggravated Assault with a Deadly Weapon and booked into the Leon County Jail.

At this time there is no indication(s) as to why Watson pointed the pistol at the victim.



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