

City of

HURST TEXAS

POLICE DEPARTMENT



MEDIA RELEASE

Date: May 1, 2017
Issued by: Sergeant Lonnie Brazzel
Time: 5:15 pm
Topic: Barricaded Person Incident

At approximately 10:30 hours on Monday, May 1st, 2017, Hurst Police officers responded to the 1100 block of Hurstview Drive to assist U.S. Marshalls who were attempting to serve an arrest warrant. The subject of the warrant was identified as a 40 year old white male named John Ford, who communicated with officers on scene that he was not going to give up peacefully and would not be taken alive. Members of the NETCAST Regional Tactical Team took over the warrant service as a barricaded persons call. Negotiators were able to contact Mr. Ford, who refused to surrender peacefully. The Tactical Team deployed CS gas into the house at approximately 4:05 pm, and Mr. Ford exited the house and surrendered to the Tactical Officers without incident. John Ford was arrested and transported to the Tarrant County Jail, where he was charged with the following warrants:

two (2) counts of Aggravated Assault with a Deadly Weapon, Abandon/Endanger a Child, Harrassing Communication. The warrants were designated as Hold/ No Bond warrants. No book in photo available at the time of this release.

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