



GARDEN CITY POLICE DEPARTMENT

CHIEF RICK ALLEN

Media Release

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Garden City Police Arrest Three Boise Men in Connection to Shooting at Bowling Alley

Garden City, Idaho – Garden City Police have made arrests in connection to a shooting, which resulted in one person being injured.

Details: On May 13th at around 11:32 P.M. Garden City Police responded to Westy's Garden Lanes located in the 5500 block of Alworth in response to the report of a shooting. When officers arrived on scene, they located a 17-year-old female who had been struck in the leg by the gunfire. She was transported via ambulance to a local hospital with non-life-threatening injuries where she was treated and released.

The investigation revealed that there were three individuals shooting during this altercation. It was determined that two subjects were trying to shoot the third male, who returned fire in apparent self-defense. The primary shooter was identified as Kalehe Byringiro, age 20, of Boise. The other shooter has been identified as Isiak Hatwibu, age 21, of Boise. Additionally, Sefu Idi, age 23, of Boise has been arrested in connection to his involvement in this shooting.

Chief Allen stated, "This was a coordinated effort amongst local law enforcement agencies which permitted the Garden City Police to arrest these individuals in a safe and timely manner. In addition to our team, I want to thank Detectives from the Boise Police Department, Members of the Meridian Impact Team, members of the Boise Special Operations Unit and the Ada County Metro Swat Team. This was a senseless incident in which untrained individuals attempted to solve an altercation with a gun fight in the middle of our great city. This type of behavior is not acceptable and will not be tolerated. I can assure you that we will hold all three of these individuals accountable to the fullest extent of the law".

Kalehe Byringiro was booked into the Ada County Jail for the following charges in connection to his involvement in the shooting:

Aggravated Battery - Felony

Isiak Hatwibu was booked into the Ada County Jail for the following charges in connection to his involvement in the shooting:

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Aggravated Assault - Felony

Sefu Idi was booked into the Ada County Jail for the following charges in connection to his involvement in the shooting:

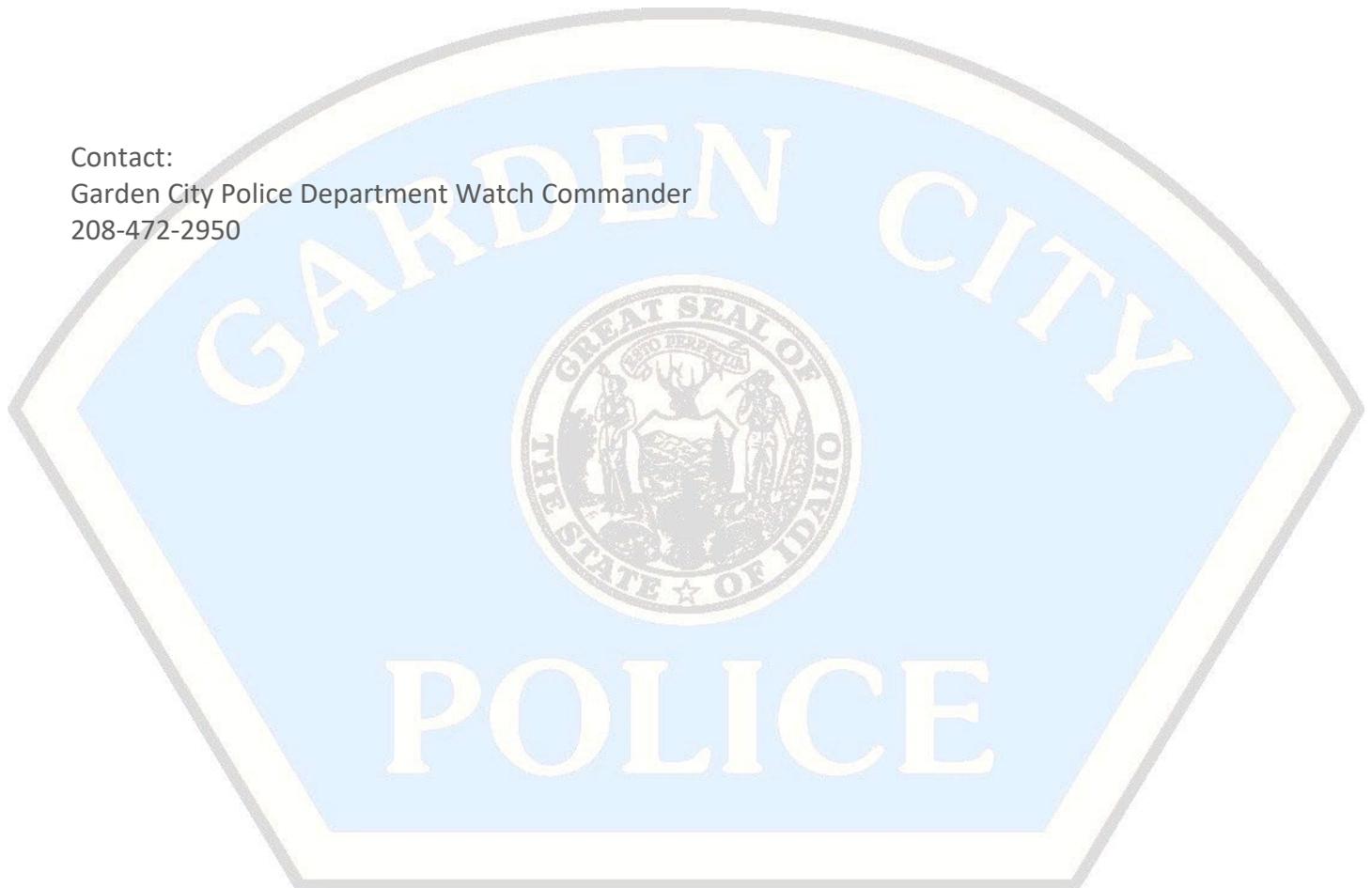
Aiding in a Felony – Felony

All three individuals will be arraigned in Ada County Magistrates Court on May 17, 2023, at 1:30 PM.

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