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Residential Burglary Arrest

On Thursday, October 24, 2013, officers responded to the 400 block of 3rd Street Northwest for an in-progress residential burglary. A resident observed a male suspect in the backyard of her neighbor's house and believed a burglary had occurred as the neighbors were away and the suspect had walked away from the house carrying a case.

As officers were responding to the scene, the suspect left the victim residence and placed the case in some bushes at another near-by residence. Officers conducted a preliminary investigation at the scene and quickly identified the suspect. The suspect was inside his residence in the 300 block of 5th Avenue Northwest. Officers attempted to contact the suspect at his residence, but he did not respond.

One of the items take in the burglary was believed to be a rifle and ammunition. After repeated attempts to contact the suspect with no success, METRO SWAT was activated to respond to the scene.

After a period of time with no contact from the suspect, METRO SWAT deployed a chemical agent to remove the suspect from the home. The suspect eventually exited the home and was placed under arrest. There were no injuries to anyone at any time during this incident.

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The 23-year old City resident will be booked into the Pierce County Jail for residential burglary and outstanding warrants.

If you have any questions or need additional information, please feel free to contact me.

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