



# MEDIA RELEASE

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## **Attempted Murder Investigation**

On February 9<sup>th</sup> at 8:06 A.M. Ames Police were notified of a shooting that occurred at 624 Duff Ave in Ames. Officers interviewed the victim who stated that his father fired two to three bullets at him after an argument over loud music. The rounds did not strike the victim and he was not injured.

Officers conducted a search warrant at the scene and confirmed gun shots were fired. Officers recovered a firearm, bullets, and bullet fragments from the defendant's home. Officers quickly determined there was no threat to the public as this was a family dispute.

The suspect was identified as Major Robinson, age 69. He was placed under arrest and charged with the following crimes:

- Attempted Murder, a class B felony
- Assault while displaying a dangerous weapon, an aggravated misdemeanor

The Ames Police Department continues to investigate this incident.

Anyone with information regarding this incident is asked to call the Ames Police Department at 515-239-5133 or the anonymous tip line **515-239-5533**. You may also contact Crime Stoppers of Central Iowa at 515-223-1400. Online anonymous tips may be submitted to [www.crimestoppersofcentraliowa.com](http://www.crimestoppersofcentraliowa.com).

Questions regarding this press release may be directed to Commander Dan Walter, Ames Police Department, at (515) 239-5317 or (515) 239-5133.

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