

PRESS RELEASE



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UPDATE at 11:45p.m.:

MANITOU SPRINGS CO – At approximately 10:30p.m. the Manitou Springs Police Department and the El Paso County Sheriff's Office SWAT team were able to peacefully resolve the standoff in the 00 block of Manitou Avenue.

The shelter in place order for the area was lifted shortly after with no major injuries to the suspect, members of the public, or law enforcement officers.

The suspect was charged with Felony Menacing and Criminal Mischief. He is currently being booked into the Criminal Justice Center.

We would like to thank the El Paso County Sheriff's Office, the Colorado Springs Police Department, and Colorado State Patrol for their partnership that created a successful outcome for this incident.

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UPDATE at 7:45p.m.:

MANITOU SPRINGS CO – On June 21 at approximately 5:45 p.m. the Manitou Springs Police Department responded to a report of a male party threatening members of the public in the 00 block of Manitou Ave. Police then attempted to make contact with the person of interest in a local motel where they were staying in the 00 block of Manitou Ave. Upon responding, a possible suspicion of a weapon being involved. Thus, a shelter in place order was issued for a 0.5 mile radius around the 00 block of Manitou Ave at approximately 6:00 p.m.

To be clear, no weapon has been scene at this incident, it is out of an abundance of caution that the shelter in place order was issued.

Police will continue to try to make contact with the person of interest and work towards a peaceful outcome.



The El Paso County Sherriff's Office, Colorado State Patrol, and the Colorado Springs Police Department have also responded to this incident and we greatly appreciate their partnership with the Manitou Springs Police Department.

The shelter in place order is still in affect, we will provide further information once it is available.

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Previous:

[Manitou Springs Police Department Issues a Shelter in Place Order for the 0.5 Mile Radius Around the 00 Block of Manitou Ave.](#)

MANITOU SPRINGS CO – On June 21 at approximately 5:45 p.m. the Manitou Springs Police Department responded to a call for a disturbance in the 00 block of Manitou Ave. This call resulted in a heavy police presence in the area and a shelter in place order being issued for a 0.5 mile radius around the 00 block of Manitou Ave at approximately 6:00 p.m.

The Manitou Springs Police Department will be providing more information at a briefing at 7:45p.m. at the Manitou Springs Police Station (606 Manitou Ave.).

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