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NEWS RELEASE

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“Suspect Charged for Filing a False Police Report”

On September 13th, 2015 at approximately at approximately 11:48 p.m. Officers of the Morgantown Police Department responded to a reported attempted abduction in the area of the 500 block of North High Street.

Officers met with the reported victim of the incident who provided suspect and vehicle descriptions. The report resulted in an emergency alert being broadcast for the local area.

During the follow up investigation, Officers learned that the report provided by the victim as fictitious. Michelle OSGOOD, 18 years of age of White Oak PA reported that she was approached by subjects in a SUV type vehicle, threatened at knifepoint and forced to get into the back seat of the vehicle where she was robbed.

The investigation revealed that OSGOOD arranged to meet with two subjects to sell them marijuana and during the transaction there was an argument over the price of the marijuana and the suspects took the drugs and refused to pay then left the area.

On October 16, 2015, a warrant was obtained for the arrest of OSGOOD and is currently pending service.

The Morgantown Police Department is committed to its goal of eliminating criminal activity in our city. Citizens are encouraged to become a **“Partner in Policing”**, by reporting suspected criminal activity to Morgantown Police Department Switchboard at (304) 284-7522. If you need immediate Police attention or a crime is in progress call 911.

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