



Morgantown Police Department

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NEWS RELEASE

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“Suspect Arrested for Battery on Officers”

On August 21, 2016 at approximately 02:35 am, Officers Morgantown Police Department observed a disturbance on Wall Street near the LUX Nightclub as the suspect attempted to strike an employee of the nightclub. Officers took the suspect into custody and she began to fight the officers by kicking while she was being handcuffed. The suspect refused to comply with the instructions of the officers and continued to try to pull away or drop to the ground to avoid being transported. The officers physically removed her from the area and while they were taking her to the police car for transport she bit one of the officers on the arm. The bite required medical attention.

The suspect continued to be belligerent and while she was being processed and transported to the Sheriff's Office to await arraignment she bit a second officer on the back of his arm, also requiring medical attention.

Both officers received medical treatment for their wounds and were released.

Meghan Delores LOSH, 20 years of age of Martinsburg WV was arrested and charged with 2 counts Battery on a Police Officer, Resisting and Obstructing Officers, Underage Possession and Consumption of Alcohol, Public Intoxication and Disorderly Conduct. LOSH was held on a \$25,000.00 bond.

The Morgantown Police Department is committed to its goal of eliminating crime 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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