



Morgantown Police Department

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On 07/23/2015 member's of the Morgantown Police Department responded to a reported stabbing on the Rail Trail near Beechurst Ave. The victim was found near the trail with a laceration to his arm. Further information obtained from witnesses identified the suspect as William Bracken. A short time later Bracken was located in the downtown area and taken into custody. Bracken was charged with malicious assault. The condition of the victim was not available at the time of this press release.

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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 the Morgantown Police Department at (304) 284-7522. Call 911 if you need immediate police attention or a crime is in progress.