

IN THE CIRCUIT/COUNTY COURT IN THE FIRST JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR OKALOOSA  
COUNTY, FLORIDA

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ARREST REPORT

OKALOOSA CO SHERIFF'S OFFICE

REPORT NO: OCSO17ARR011294

Jail Booking No	Offense No OCSO17OFF014632	Other No OCSO17CAD197134	OBTS 4601114511
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[ SUSPECT ]

<u>Last</u>	<u>First</u>	<u>Middle</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Race</u>	<u>Sex</u>	<u>DOB</u>	<u>Age</u>	<u>Hgt</u>	<u>Wgt</u>
MUELLER	THOMAS	JAY	JR	W	M	9/27/1999	18	5'09"	320
<u>Eyes</u>	<u>Hair</u>	<u>MNI Number</u>	<u>SSN</u>	<u>ID No</u>	<u>St</u>	<u>Type</u>	<u>OCA/Agency ID</u>		
BLU	BLN	OCSO15MNI013708			FA	E	223195		

Birth Location: City: MARIETTA County: State: GEORGIA Nation: UNITED STATES Citizenship: UNITED STATES  
Address

████████████████████ FORT WALTON BEACH FL 32547

Occupations (Current/Last Known is Listed First)

Business: CHOICE SCHOOL, Job Title: , Entered: 10/22/2017  
FORT WALTON BEACH FL

Business: FORT WALTON BEACH HIGH SCHOOL, Job Title: STUDENT, Phone: (850)833-3300 Entered: 9/25/2015  
400 SW HOLLYWOOD BD FORT WALTON BEACH FL 32548

Aliases (Last, First Middle Title DOB)

TJ,  
,  
, 9/27/1997

Street Names

TJ

[ INCIDENT INFORMATION ]

Occurred Date Range: 10/20/2017 22:15 to 10/20/2017 22:58 Lat / Long 30.45986 / -86.64266  
No. Di Street Apt/Lot City ST Zip (GEO)  
N BEAL PKWY/LEWIS ST FORT WALTON BEAC FL 32547 2 - 15 - PG40 - J-38

[ CHARGES ]

784.045.1A1

AGG BATT


CAUSES GREAT BODILY HARM

<u>Counts</u>	<u>Level</u>	<u>Degree</u>	<u>GOC</u>	<u>UCR</u>	<u>NCIC</u>	<u>AON</u>	<u>Bond Amount</u>
1	Felony	Second	Principal			1319	

[ STATEMENT OF PROBABLE CAUSE / NARRATIVE ]

On 10/21/2017, the Okaloosa County Sheriff's Office responded to a report of Aggravated Battery. Per a sworn Affidavit of Complaint, the victim, Ronald Dean, stated that he had been traveling northbound along Beal Parkway in the area of Clifford Street, Fort Walton Beach, when he heard a series of popping noises. The victim was then struck by what he believed to have been a BB projectile, fired at him by a passing vehicle on Beal Parkway. The victim described the passing vehicle as an unknown color, Jeep Wrangler and displayed an injury to his right shoulder which was consistent with his description of events. The projectile did not appear to have penetrated Dean's arm, however it did break the skin resulting in redness, swelling, and bleeding. In addition to the report made by Dean, the Sheriff's Office and the Fort Walton Beach Police Department received no less than thirteen calls for service related to offenses committed by the the same unknown suspects with BB guns.

On 10/22/2017, the Sheriff's Office received a call from a concerned citizen, claiming to have information regarding the Jeep and the suspects involved in these offenses. Deputies received information that the Jeep Wrangler involved was owned and operated by the defendant, Thomas MUELLER. The citizen also claimed to have possession of two BB guns and BB projectiles taken from MUELLER since the time of the offenses.


While this information and evidence was being gathered, MUELLER was located and detained by Okaloosa County Sheriff's deputies. In a post-Miranda, sworn statement, MUELLER admitted to driving the vehicle involved, while  fired upon people and property throughout the Fort Walton Beach area. MUELLER

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stated he observed  fire upon an individual while they were traveling on Beal Parkway and heard the victim cry out when he had been hit. He stated he was aware of the co-defendants actions and intentions, and made no effort to stop them in the commission of the crimes or contact law enforcement. Additionally, MUELLER stopped with the suspects at Wal-Mart in Fort Walton Beach, where more CO2 cartridges, BBs and BB guns were obtained. MUELLER's statements as to the events and locations of the incidents coincided with reports made to the O.C.S.O. and F.W.B.P.D.

Based on the above probable cause the affiant has reason to believe and does believe that the defendant, Thomas MUELLER is principal to the offense of Aggravated Battery. This offense is in violation of Florida State Statute 784.045(1a) and was committed in Okaloosa County, FL.

I hereby swear (or affirm) that the facts established on this affidavit are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Signature (Arresting Officer) \_\_\_\_\_ SIREN, TIMOTHY P 079  
Name ID/SSN

Subscribed and sworn to (or affirmed) before me this 22 day of October A.D., 2017 by \_\_\_\_\_  
who is personally known to me or has produced \_\_\_\_\_ as identification.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Notary Public LEO CO

Commission No: \_\_\_\_\_ My Commission Expires \_\_\_\_\_

[ PHYSICAL EVIDENCE ] [NO PHYSICAL EVIDENCE LISTED]

**[ ARREST INFORMATION ]**

Arrested	Residency	Injured	Extent of Injury	Resist			
10/22/2017 14:18	Within jurisdiction	None	N/A	No			
	Arrested Prior	Arrest Jurisdiction	Alcohol	Drugs			
	Yes	Within jurisdiction	Unknown	Unknown			
No.	Di	Street	A/L	City	ST	Zip	Lat / Long
13	SE	EGLIN PW		FORT WALTON BEAC	FL	32548	
Arresting Officer	Unit	(GEO)	2 - 19 - -	Officer Type			
079 SIREN, TIMOTHY P	OC SO/FSV/INV/CID						
Reporting Officer	Unit	Original Offense Jurisdiction					
339 BUTLER, JEFFREY R	OC SO/FSV/SOUTH/AC/C-SHIFT	OC SO					
Forward to for approval							
OC SO/FSV/SOUTH/AC/C-SHIFT							

Bond Set by LEO at Time of Arrest & Booking: \$0.00

- ( ) None  
( ) ROR  
( ) Cash  
( ) Pro

Bond Set by Judge ( ) None ( ) ROR/Sign  
( ) Cash ( ) PTR  
( ) Any

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( )Purge

( )SC

Return Court: CIRCUIT COURT: FELONY Date: 10/7/2017 Time: 14:30  
Instructions: OKALOOSA CO COURTHOUSE, 1940 LEWIS TURNER BD, FWB

[ DISPOSITION ]

Disposition Type

Release Type

Other Desc

**Booked into Jail**

Release Date

Release Time

Release Officer

Printed Printed By

No

Released To

Court Disposition Type

Court Disposition Description

[ ADDITIONAL PERSONS ]

COURT DISPOSITION:

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☐ No Bill / Petition ☐ Issue Warrant ☐ Prosecution Approved

Signature of Assistant State Attorney

Date

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