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PRESS RELEASE

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On June 18, 2022 at approximately 9:45PM, deputies responded to the 6300 block of Grace Hill in reference to a dispute. Upon their arrival, they met with the caller, Brent Alford who stated that he noticed a vehicle parked in his driveway. Armed with a handgun, he went out to investigate the vehicle. The vehicle was occupied by three juvenile siblings (17, 16, and 15) who were lost and had driven down Alford's driveway by mistake. The juveniles were attempting to locate a party that was near Alford's residence. According to the juveniles as they were attempting to turn around in the driveway, Alford began banging on the vehicle window and yelling at them. Startled, the 17-year-old driver quickly attempted to drive away. Alford fired one round from his handgun into the rear of the vehicle, striking the trunk. The bullet traveled through the tail light and ended up in the center of the back seat passenger area under the seat cushion after hitting objects in the trunk. Fortunately, the two juveniles who had been sitting in the backseat were not physically injured.

Spotsylvania Sheriff's Office arrested Brent David Alford, 49-year-old of Spotsylvania and was charged with three counts of shooting into an occupied vehicle and one count of reckless handling of a firearm.

Alford was incarcerated at the Rappahannock Regional Jail under no bond.

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