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ARMED ROBBERY ARREST

On December 20, 2015 at approximately 6:30PM, the DeKalb Police Department responded to the 800 block of Kimberly Drive to investigate a report of an armed robbery that had just occurred. It was learned that a phone order was placed, with a local restaurant, to have a pizza delivered to an address on Kimberly Drive. As the pizza delivery driver attempted to deliver the pizza, he was robbed by a male, who was armed with a gun. The suspect stole the delivery driver's money and the food that was ordered. The suspect fled on foot.

On December 22, 2015 the DeKalb Police Department interviewed the owner of the phone that called in the pizza order. The investigators were told by the owner that his cell phone was stolen in late November.

On December 22, 2015 at approximately 4:00PM, an officer observed an automobile speeding on Annie Glidden Road. The vehicle was stopped in the 600 block of Annie Glidden Road. A passenger in the vehicle was found to be in possession of the phone that was used to call in the pizza order. Officers also located a loaded handgun that was discarded during the traffic stop.

The passenger, who was in possession of the stolen phone, was identified as Reginald Washington. Washington was questioned at the DeKalb Police Department where he admitted to discarding the gun during the traffic stop and he admitted to committing the armed robbery of the pizza driver.

The pizza delivery driver was not physically harmed during the armed robbery.

Reginald L. Washington, 23 years of age, was charged with Armed Robbery, Unlawful Use of Weapon by a Felon and Aggravated Unlawful Use of a Weapon. Washington resides in the 800 block of Kimberly Drive in DeKalb.

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