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PRESS RELEASE

Date: January 13, 2019
Case Number: 19ES00216
Subject: Dog Bite

The Essex Police Department is investigating a dog bite that occurred at the dog park located at 111 West Street in Essex. The incident occurred on January 12, 2019 at approximately 12:00pm. The victim of the bite was treated for puncture wounds to their left calf.

The Essex Police is seeking assistance in identifying the two involved dogs and their owner. The breed of the dogs are unknown. The aggressive dog involved is believed to be named "Billy or Jack" as the owner of the dog was calling for both of his dogs during the incident. The aggressing dog is described as older looking, approximately 70lbs. brindle colored with white fur on its chest, tail and between its eyes. The male owner is described as being Caucasian, 5'11", 160lbs. with black and grey hair and having a black and grey beard.

After retrieving his two dogs, the male left the dog park in a dark colored pickup truck, unknown make and model and unknown registration.

It is believed the unknown male and his two dogs frequent the dog park on a regular basis.

Please contact the Essex Police Department if you have any information leading to the identity of the two dogs and their owner.

Contact: Officer Brett Williger
Issued by Sgt. John Dunn