



PRESS RELEASE

City of Pueblo Police Department

Felony Menacing



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On October 25, 2021, at approximately 12:51 a.m., Pueblo police were dispatched to the 2700 block of Freedom Avenue on a report of a domestic fight with weapons.

The victim reported that the suspect, 33-year-old Leandro Pino, had forced his way into the residence. Once inside, Pino allegedly loaded his handgun and pointed it at her. It was also reported that Pino had caused significant property damage in the residence. The victim was able to exit the residence prior to police arrival.

A perimeter was set up around the house and contact with Pino was attempted, but Pino would not exit the residence. A search warrant and arrest warrant were authored for the residence and Pino, respectively. The Pueblo police SWAT Team was called to the scene, and after a lengthy negotiation via cell phone with Pino, he walked out of the house and was taken into custody without further incident.

The information contained in this press release is based on preliminary information available at the time of its drafting. The Pueblo Police Department's understanding of this incident may change as additional evidence is collected, analyzed and reviewed. The purpose of this press release is to provide timely information to the public. In consideration of the foregoing, please be advised that any statements expressed herein are subject to change at any time.

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