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PRESS RELEASE

To: All Media Outlets
From: Captain Dawn Williams

On October 27, 2015 at approximately 1:21 pm, Officers responded to the area of Prospect Street and Hilton Avenue for a report of an assault. As a result of the investigation, it was determined the incident was a result of a dispute between a pedestrian and a motorist that escalated into an assault. Both parties involved are adult females and Maplewood residents. In addition, both parties reported injuries that were non life threatening in nature. At this time, the individuals involved have been advised of complaint procedures in the event they wish to pursue the matter.

As a general safety message, the Maplewood Police Department would like to remind everyone that should an improper act by an individual and/or motor vehicle violation be observed, report the incident to the police and do not personally engage with the person that committed the violation. When possible, try to obtain a description of the person involved and if there is a vehicle, the license plate as well as a description of the vehicle and driver.