Clinton County Sheriffs' Office News Release

TO: AREA NEWS

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SUBJECT OF RELEASE: Felony Arrest

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NAME OF ARRESTEE: William J. Frazier

ADDRESS: Plattsburgh, NY

AGE-SEX: 28/Male

Arrest 1: 5/15/2021 7:05pm

Charges:

Robbery 2nd Degree, Causes Physical Injury (C-Felony) PL 160.10(A) Aggravated Family Offense (E-Felony) PL 240.75(1) Criminal Contempt 1st Degree, Physical Contact (E-Felony) PL 215.51(BV) Grand Larceny 4th Degreee, Property >\$1,000 (E-Felony) PL 155.30(1) Assault 3rd Degree (A-Misd) PL 120.00(1) Criminal Obstruction of Breathing (A-Misd) PL 121.11(A) Resisting Arrest (A-Misd) PL 205.30 Violation of Probation (Misd) CPL

Arrest 2: 5/16/2021 6:00pm Charges: Aggravated Family Offense (E-Felony) PL 240.75(1) Criminal Contempt 2nd Degree (A-Misd) PL 215.50(3)

NARRATIVE: Sheriff's Deputies arrested William Frazier on the above listed charges following response to a reported domestic incident in the Town of Plattsburgh. It's alleged that Frazier was present at a female victim's residence in violation of an active order of protection and that during an argument Frazier allegedly assaulted, choked and forcefully stole property from the victim. Frazier was located in a nearby yard by Sheriff's Deputies, who attempted to take him into custody. Frazier fled, leading Deputies on a brief foot pursuit before he was ultimately apprehended. During processing at the Sheriff's Office, it's alleged that Frazier pretended to contact a relative to notify them that he had been arrested, but instead contacted a phone number belonging to the victim. In connection with those actions, Frazier was arrested a second time on 5/16/21 and charged with the above listed charges.

DISPOSITION: Following his arrest on 5/15/21, Frazier was arraigned in Peru Town Court on both the incident charges from 5/15/21 and in connection with an active warrant for his arrest for allegedly violating the terms of his probation. Following arraignment, Frazier was committed to Clinton County Correctional Facility in lieu of a combined \$10,000 cash bail, \$20,000 bond. He is set to appear in Plattsburgh Town Court on 5/18/21 in connection with all charges. Deputies were assisted in this case by the New York State Police.