



Police Department News Release

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Date: 10-25-18

- **Incident:** Warrant Service
- **Incident Date:** 10-25-18 **Incident Time:** 1230 hours
- **Incident Location:** 1800 Block Elbert Dr.
- **Investigating Officer:**
- **Victim Name(s):**
- **Victim Age:**
- **Victim Residence Location:**
- **Suspect Name(s):**
- **Suspect Age:**
- **Suspect Residence Location:**
- **Charges if Applicable:**
- **Arrests Information:** N/A
- **Additional Remarks:** ***Update*** (October 26, 2018) The suspect in Thursday's incident on Elbert Drive is identified as Earl Maston Pugh, III. He is 37 years old and resided at the residence in the 1800 block of Elbert Drive. The search warrant being executed by officers was for violation of probation out of Chesapeake, VA. Following yesterday's incident, he has been charged with obstruction of justice.

UPDATE

As of 4:00pm the barricaded subject has been taken into custody by police. The area is now clear of police and SWAT units.

On today's date, 10-25-18, Roanoke County Officers attempted to serve an arrest warrant in the 1800 block of Elbert Dr. Upon initial contact with the subject he refused to come out of the residence and then barricaded himself inside a home. Additional police units as well as SWAT are currently on scene attempting to negotiate with the subject.

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