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Eau Claire Police Arrest Man for Sexual Assault of a Child

On Monday, May 20th, 2024 at 5:30pm, the Eau Claire Police Department received a report of a man who appeared to coerce a younger looking person into a portable toilet, near the area of the Forest Street Community Garden.

Officers approached and found the door to the toilet locked. They knocked and announced to the occupant(s) inside. A man, identified as Ray C. Jackson (DOB: 02/06/1988), homeless, exited the toilet. He attempted to obscure officers' view inside; however, they were able to see another person through the doorway. It was obvious this person was a juvenile.

Officers immediately detained Jackson and worked with Eau Claire County Department of Human Services Co-Response to assess the juvenile and contact their parent. After interviews were completed and physical evidence collected, Officers determined there was probable cause a sexual assault occurred. Jackson was arrested and transported to the Eau Claire County Jail.

Jackson remains in jail and is scheduled to appear in court tomorrow, May 22nd at 11:00am.

The Eau Claire Police Department is committed to ensuring the victim receives support and services. Our agency is dedicated to the safety of the residents of Eau Claire. We encourage our community to continue to be engaged and vigilant, and to report incidents that they believe to be unsafe.

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