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PRESS RELEASE

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Burglary/Sexual Assault

On April 30, 2017 at approximately 2a.m., Salisbury Police officers responded to the 1700 block of Eastgate Drive, in the Eastgate Village retirement community, in reference to a reported burglary and assault. Investigation determined that the suspect entered the residence via an open window and sexually assaulted the elderly victim, who was sleeping. The victim was able to fight off the suspect, who then fled the area.

The victim was treated at PRMC for minor injuries and later released. The suspect is described as a middle-aged male of unknown race.

Detectives thoroughly processed the crime scene and interviewed multiple residents in the area. SPD was assisted in the investigation by a K-9 unit from the Worcester County Sheriff's Office.

Investigation is continuing. Anyone with information on this incident is requested to contact the Salisbury Police Department at (410)548-3165 or Crime Solvers of the Lower Eastern Shore at (410)548-1776. Crime Solvers is offering a reward of up to \$1000 for information leading to an arrest in this incident.

Citizens are reminded that the Salisbury Police Department offers free home security surveys that assist in identifying ways to make your residence a safer place. Officers will assess your residence for possible risks, as well as make recommendations for crime prevention through environmental design and other safety tips. If you are interested in a home security survey, please contact the Community Affairs section of the Salisbury Police Department at (410)548-3165.

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