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For Immediate Release:

Woman Arrested for Battery on an Officer

Idaho Falls Police arrested Saleena Vontella Peterson for battery on an officer and eluding, both felonies, after she fought with officers while trying to avoid arrest.

Peterson, 24, was also arrested for driving under the influence, reckless driving and driving without privileges.

According to reports, officers attempted to stop Peterson near the intersection of Woodruff and 17th Street around 9:45 p.m. after she was observed driving recklessly. Peterson failed to stop and eluded police until Bonneville County Deputies managed to stop her in Ammon in the Briarcreek neighborhood.

While being placed under arrest, Peterson kicked, scratched and yelled profanities at officers trying to detain her.

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Man Arrested for Aggravated Battery

Idaho Falls Police arrested Isair David Labra Thursday for felony aggravated battery stemming from a fight that occurred at the City of Idaho Falls Recreation Center in early June.

Officers served the arrest warrant in the 3500 block of East 17th Street Thursday morning.

Police said Labra, 20, got into a physical altercation on June 6 with another man during a basketball game. Labra punched the individual several times in the face causing serious injuries.

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The Idaho Falls Police Department arrested 11 people on Thursday.

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