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WEST MIFFLIN MAN FACING BENCH WARRANT AND ACTIVE ASSAULT WARRANT TAKEN INTO CUSTODY

Pittsburgh PA ---- Sheriff Kevin M. Kraus announced today that a West Mifflin man, wanted on a bench warrant and active assault warrant, has been taken into custody.

25-year-old Malik Banks has been a fugitive since April 2022 when he failed to appear in court after being charged by West Mifflin Police with firearms violations. A month later, Banks was charged by City of Pittsburgh Police with aggravated assault after a female victim told police that Banks struck her under her eye with a gun he was holding.

This week, detectives from our office developed information that Banks was in a residence on Midway Drive in West Mifflin, one of several addresses he has used in the past. Earlier today, when detectives approached the address, Banks attempted to exit out a rear door at which point he was stopped by K9 Woody and taken into custody without further incident. Banks was then transported to the Allegheny County Jail.

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