Date: April 29, 2016
Origin: Department PIO
Contact: Corporal Chuck Niess
Phone: 623-3131 #411

Update #4 - *photo attached*

On 4/28/16 Joplin Police Detectives served a search warrant at 2206 Salem. Subsequent to the search warrant Alex R. May, 29, 2206 Salem, was arrested for Unlawful Use of a Weapon. Charges have been filed by the Jasper County Prosecutor. (Photograph attached)

Update #3

On 4/28/16, Jared N. Kendall, 42, 2121 E. Salem, Joplin surrendered himself to the Jasper County Sheriff’s Office subsequent to an arrest warrant for Unlawful Use of a Weapon. Amount of Bond Set - 25,000.
As a condition of his bond, Kendall is to have no contact with alleged victim direct or indirect, through any medium. He is also to to surrender all firearms to the Jasper County Sheriff and CCW if applicable.
Joplin Detectives are continuing the investigation.

Update #2

All subjects that were initially detained have been released pending further investigation. Updates will continue as the investigation progresses.

Update #1

The occupants of the crashed vehicle were at the scene at the time of arrival. (There were three occupants in the fleeing vehicle. At least one occupant of the vehicle is a juvenile.) The homeowner was contacted at the scene shortly after the officers arrived.

NEWS RELEASE
April 17, 2016 at 5:22 PM, Joplin Police Department responded to a report of a first-degree burglary at 2121 E. Salem.

Subsequent to that call, officers were dispatched to 1824 E. 7th St, at 5:28 PM in reference to an injury accident where in a single vehicle struck the State Farm office building.

The occupants of the vehicle were in the process of fleeing from the homeowner of 2121 E. Salem.

The homeowner of 2121 E. Salem is reported to have fired gunshots at the occupants of the fleeing vehicle. There were no injuries as a result of the gunfire.

The investigation is undergoing.

###

Alex May