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On 9/8/07, at approximately 1:23 A.M., uniformed officers responded to a radio assignment of a "Person with a knife" at Kensington Avenue and York Street. The complainant observed the suspect walking through a small park at 100 W. Susquehanna Street and identified her as the offender to the officers. The officers exited their vehicles and approached the suspect. The suspect produced a large butcher knife and several officers drew their weapons and ordered the female to drop the weapon. One officer utilized OC Spray with no effect. The offender moved toward the officer with the knife raised. The officer discharged his weapon, striking the offender. The offender was transported to the Temple University Hospital where she was pronounced. A knife with an 8-inch blade was recovered at the scene.