On Saturday, September 11, 2004, at approximately 2:49 A.M., a uniformed patrol officer driving a marked vehicle was dispatched to a burglary in progress at 5146 Vandelia Street #101. Upon arrival the officer observed a suspicious pickup truck near the apartment. The officer observed a pry tool on the floorboard and could smell the odor of marijuana coming from the vehicle. The officer then observed the apartment sliding door open. A L/F was walking towards the vehicle with a L/M/23 suspect running behind her. The suspect was armed with a handgun and pointed it at the officer. The officer fired his weapon at the suspect striking him one time. The juvenile occupant of the vehicle was injured by one of the officer's rounds.

The suspect was injured and transported to Parkland Hospital.

Suspect weapon was a loaded .45 caliber semi-automatic handgun.

Suspect was charged with Aggravated Assault Public Servant and Burglary of a Habitation.

No officer was injured. The juvenile was transported to Parkland Hospital.

One officer fired 3 rounds. Involved officer: W/M 5 years service.