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PRESS RELEASE  
**MUSCATINE POLICE DEPARTMENT**  
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**FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE**

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## **MUSCATINE POLICE INVESTIGATING ASSAULT INCIDENT**

*Investigation continues into Tuesday's reported assault with a bat in Muscatine*

**MUSCATINE, Iowa** - The Muscatine Police Department responded to the area of East 6th and Walnut streets at approximately 9 p.m. Tuesday (Aug. 15) for a report of four to five kids hitting a male with a bat. Upon arrival police were informed that one person was stabbed and a second involved party was located at 501 Cedar Street in Muscatine

Four involved persons have been identified although their names and address are being withheld due to an ongoing criminal investigation. Two involved persons were transported to Trinity Hospital where they were treated for non-life threatening injuries.

Police established a crime scene in the 500 block of Walnut, #5 Alley 300 East and 501 Cedar Street in Muscatine. The Police Department wants the public to know this is an isolated incident and the public is not in any immediate danger.

Anyone wanting to provide information concerning the above mentioned crime can call the Muscatine Police Department at 563-263-9922 ext. 611. Callers may remain anonymous.

All involved individuals should be considered innocent until proven otherwise by a court of law.

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