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TO: News Media

FROM: Chief James C. Watt

RE: Robbery Arrest - Goshen QuickChek

DATE: January 12th, 2015

The Village of Goshen Police Department has arrested a suspect in the robbery of Goshen QuickChek on December 24th and the attempted robbery of Goshen QuickChek on January 10th.

Anthony A. Werner, 44, of #77 Jessup Switch Rd., Florida, NY, was arrested Saturday, January 10th, and charged with 1 count of Robbery 2nd degree, a C-felony, for the December 24th robbery and 1 count of Attempted Robbery 2nd degree, a D-felony, for an attempt to rob the same business on January 10th. Werner was arraigned before Town of Goshen Justice Thomas Cione and remanded to Orange County Jail on \$100,000 bail pending grand jury action.

Werner was arrested Saturday, January 10th, at approximately 7:40pm by Ptl. Robert A. Kozlowski, who had found Werner's vehicle parked in a suspicious location on North Connector Rd. by the QuickChek store. The suspect attempted to rob the QuickChek wearing a hooded jacket and bandana, demanding money and threatening the use of a weapon. Ptl. Kozlowski apprehended the suspect in immediate flight from the attempted robbery and also recovered clothing and a bandana that the suspect wore during the robbery and threw away as he fled.

The Department is assisting the City of Middletown Police Department and Town of Wallkill Police Department, which had similar attempted robberies of the Dolson Ave. McDonalds and the Rte. 211 Dunkin' Donuts on December 26th.