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Charges:

Criminal possession of a weapon 2 nd degree	1 Count	Class C Felony
Criminal possession of a weapon 3 rd degree	1 Count	Class D Felony
Reckless endangerment 1 st degree	1 Count	Class D Felony
Criminal possession of a firearm	1 Count	Class E Felony
Criminal possession of stolen property 4 th degree	1 Count	Class E Felony

Arrested:

Masterson, Kevin (Age 51)
Stillwater

Late in the evening of Friday, May 5, 2023, officers responded to the area of Frances and N. Main streets for reports of gunfire. Evidence was recovered from the scene confirming those reports, and an investigation was initiated. While conducting the investigation, officers took a call for a burglary during which handguns were stolen from a city residence and quickly identified a suspect who had subsequently fled to Troy. Additionally, officers searched the surrounding area and located a stolen handgun in the Anthony Kill. On May 10, 2023, Mechanicville Police arrested 51-year-old Kevin P. Masterson of Stillwater on the above-listed charges. Masterson was arraigned in Mechanicville City Court and remanded to the Saratoga County Jail pending further action. Mechanicville PD was assisted by the Saratoga County Sheriff's Office and the Troy Police Department during this investigation.

The Mechanicville Police Department recognizes that persons arrested for crimes are presumed innocent until proven guilty in a court of law. People reviewing these arrests should understand that an arrest is often the first step of many in the criminal justice process.

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