CITY OF GARDNER
Police Department

PRESS RELEASE

On July 12, 2023 at approximately 1021 hours, the Gardner Police Department responded to a call for an altercation at Planet Fitness on Victoria Lane. Upon the officer's arrival, they located a 43 year old man suffering from a stab wound to his chest. The victim of the stabbing was transported via Lifeflight to UMass Memorial in Worcester in stable but serious condition.

The suspect was later apprehended by the Massachusetts State Police in his vehicle near Rt 190 in Leominster. Lennox Nunez, 28 years old and formerly from Revere, was arrested for Assault and Battery with a Dangerous Weapon and was transferred to the Gardner District Court for arraignment. There is no known motivation for the attack at this time.

The Gardner Police Department would like to thank Planet Fitness for their cooperation and assistance during this incident.