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**Capitol Police Charge Smyrna Man
In Kent Courthouse Incident**

Location: Kent County Courthouse, Dover

Date of Occurrence: Wednesday, March 20, 2013

Suspect: Michael Dorris, 36, Smyrna, DE

On March 20, 2013 Capitol Police arrested Michael Dorris, 36, of Smyrna in connection with an incident that occurred at the Kent County Courthouse. Dorris was escorted out of a courtroom by court bailiffs after becoming loud and boisterous. Capitol Police officers intervened when Dorris started yelling obscenities. When officers attempted to place him under arrest, he is accused of fighting with the officers. Capitol Police then physically subdued him. He was charged with Disorderly Conduct, Resisting Arrest and Criminal Mischief. He was video arraigned with Justice of the Peace Court #2 and released on a \$3,000 unsecured bond for a future court appearance.