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On January 6, 2024, at approximately 8:00 PM, Hollis officers responded to a Wright Rd address for a reported Domestic Disturbance. It was reported that an altercation had occurred between a male and female party, and that the female was currently barricaded in a bathroom awaiting police arrival.

Upon arrival, officers made contact with both parties, and quickly developed probable cause that a Domestic Violence related assault had occurred. Officers identified the male party as the primary aggressor, and placed him under arrest. He was placed in handcuffs without incident. Once restrained, the male party, identified as Jeffrey Yule, 40, of Merrimack, became belligerent and aggressive. Without provocation, Yule "head-butted" a Hollis Officer in the face. He was then tried fighting with officers by kicking his legs and flailing his body. He was taken to the ground, where officers were able to gain compliance. Yule was transported to the Hollis Police Department where he was processed and released on \$250.00 cash bail with an arraignment set at the 9th Circuit Court, Nashua District.

Thankfully, the officer in who Yule head-butted was not injured, but was evaluated by members of the Hollis Fire Department as a precaution. Such behaviors as demonstrated by Yule show the unpredicatable and dangeorus nature of policing. We are grateful that our officers acted with such professionalism and with great restraint in taking the appropriate action to further prevent agressive behaviors towards them and the victim of this domestic violence incident.

Yule is charged with Domestic Violence, Simple Assault, two counts of Simple Assault, and Resisting Arrest/Detention. All charges are Class A Misdemeanors, punishable by up to one year imprisonment.