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Arrest Warrants Issued in Hate Crime/Aggravated Assault with a Deadly Weapon Investigation

FORT WORTH, Texas – On Thursday, February 8, 2024, the Fort Worth Police Department responded to a call for service near the 3100 block of Purington Avenue in east Fort Worth.

Officers arrived on scene where the adult victim stated that he was a salesman for a local energy company and going door-to-door in the residential area. An adult male suspect started yelling racial slurs at him and then fired a weapon toward him.

After gathering this information, officers began to investigate and determined that nobody was inside of the residence where the meter reader was fired at.

Fort Worth Police Department Gun Violence Detectives are working the case and will be writing a warrant and a report under report #240010363.

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