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## **Press Release**

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### **Suspect Criminally Charged in Connection to Shooting on MCTS Bus**

MILWAUKEE, WI – On Friday, September 1, 2023, the Milwaukee County District Attorney's Office issued criminal charges against Melvin Rashard Goodwin in connection to a shooting that occurred on a Milwaukee County Transit System (MCTS) Bus. The shooting occurred on Thursday, August 24, 2023, on the 4300 block of W. Capitol Drive.

The Milwaukee Police Department (MPD) shared images of the suspect that were obtained from MCTS bus cameras with the public and received a Crime Stoppers tip that led to the identification of Goodwin. Goodwin was already in custody regarding unrelated charges and was subsequently arrested in connection to the shooting.

Goodwin was charged with one count of Attempt First Degree Intentional Homicide, Use of a Dangerous Weapon, Habitual Criminality Repeater and one count of Possession of a Firearm by a Felon, Habitual Criminality Repeater. If convicted, he could face up to 83 years in prison and fined up to \$25,000.

The Milwaukee Police Department appreciates the assistance of the community that helped identify Goodwin.

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