



**POLICE DEPARTMENT  
CITY OF BURLINGTON**

**MEDIA RELEASE: UPDATE**

INCIDENT TYPE:	DATE/TIME REPORTED:	
Aggravated assault	07/31/2021 0315 Hours	
INCIDENT NUMBER:	LOCATION:	
21BU011916	Simon's Downtown, S Winooski Ave	
INVESTIGATOR:	INVESTIGATOR CONTACT:	
Detective Corporal Kratochvil	658-2704	
AUTHOR:	APPROVED BY:	
Chief Murad	Chief Murad	
SUSPECT:	AGE:	SUSPECT ADDRESS:
Walter Hamiid Jones	25	Unknown
SUSPECT DISPOSITION:		
Active arrest warrant for Aggravated Assault		

**NARRATIVE:**

After extensive investigation, including confirmatory contributions from members of the public, the Burlington Police Department has identified the third individual allegedly involved in the gun battle that occurred in the early hours of Saturday, July 31, at the Downtown Simon's gas station on South Winooski Avenue.

Detectives have confirmed the third suspect to be Walter Hamiid Jones, 25. Mr. Jones is a documented Bloods gang member out of Massachusetts. There is a warrant for his arrest on charges of aggravated assault.

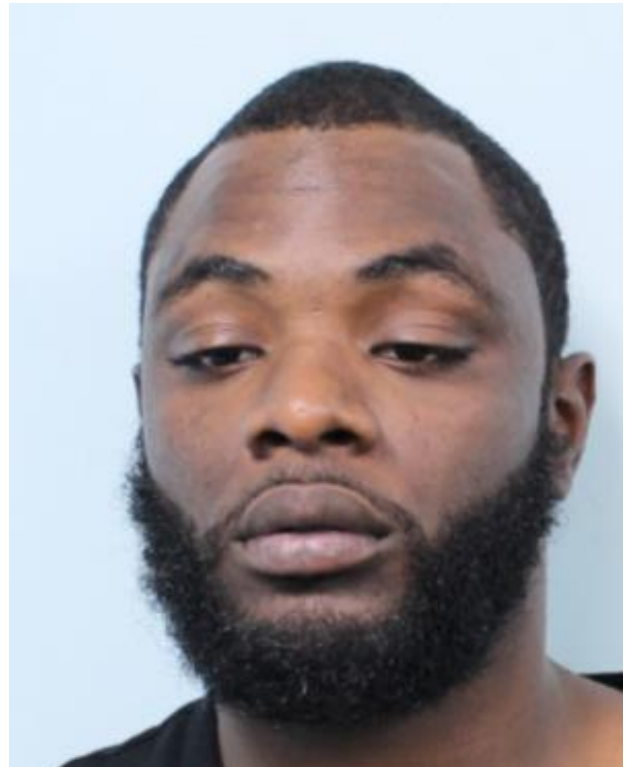
A review of Mr. Jones's criminal history shows an extensive violent history in Massachusetts, including 14 convictions, among them home invasion, armed robberies with a handgun, assaults with a dangerous weapon, assault and battery, and cocaine distribution. Mr. Jones has pending charges in Massachusetts for cocaine trafficking, heroin trafficking, charges of using a firearm in a felony, possession of a large-capacity firearm, and possession of a firearm without a permit.

Photos of Mr. Jones are found below. *(It is the Burlington Police Department's voluntary policy not to include photos or "mugshots" in press releases unless the individual pictured is being actively sought by police.)*

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*Walter Hamiid Jones, 25*

Police are also seeking the Nissan Rogue involved in the incident. Detectives believe it may have been abandoned in an unknown location. It is last known to have borne New York registration [KMB5085](#).

Anyone with information about this incident is asked to contact the Burlington Police Department at (802) 658-2704.

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