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OKLAHOMA CITY —

Officials have released new details after officers shot a man during a standoff in Oklahoma City.

At 10:21 a.m. on Tuesday, a woman called 911 from Florida stating a man was on her front porch in OKC. She stated he was armed with a pistol and shouldn't have been at her home.

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She provided identifying information.

When officers arrived, they found Derek Dennis, armed, outside of the home. He refused orders to drop the pistol, forcing officers to back away and take a tactical position.

Officers negotiated for a few hours, hoping to bring the standoff to an end peacefully. During that time, Dennis discharged his pistol toward a nearby pond.

At 12:27 p.m. while still armed with the pistol, Dennis made a threatening move and was shot by Officer Poe. Dennis was transported to a hospital where he remains, at this time.

Once he is released, he will be booked into jail on a complaint of an assault with a deadly weapon on a police officer. Nobody else was injured.

Officer Poe has been placed on routine administrative leave pending the outcome of the investigation.