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PRESS RELEASE

On February 19, 2014, Police received a report of an alleged order of protection violation that occurred at a Broadway residence.

Following a brief investigation, Police arrested **Jonathan R. Lynch**, 23, of Firehouse Lane, Fort Ann, and charged him with the following:

- **Criminal Contempt – 1st Degree – Class E Felony**

Lynch is reported to have gone to the residence of the victim, who had an order of protection in place barring him from having contact with the victim, and banging on the door. When the victim opened the door, Lynch is reported to have put a knife up to his own throat when being told the police were called, and fled the residence.

Lynch was located at his residence, with assistance of the Washington County Sheriff's Office, and arrested without incident.

Lynch was arraigned in Whitehall Village Court and remanded to the Washington County Correctional Facility for a lack of \$5,000.00 cash / \$10,000.00 bond.

The case was handled by Chief Matthew Dickinson, with assistance from members of the Washington County Sheriff's Office.



WPD Arrest Photo



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