



# NASHUA POLICE DEPARTMENT

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On April 2, 2021 at approximately 9:23 PM, members from the Nashua Police Department's Uniform Field Operations Bureau arrested Stephen Balsam, age 52, of Nashua, New Hampshire.

Earlier in the night patrol officers from the Nashua Police Department were dispatched to a residence in Nashua for the report of an incident involving Balsam and an adult female. The victim, who is known to Balsam, reported Balsam entered her residence and assaulted her. The victim was treated at a local hospital for serious but non-life-threatening injuries. Detectives from the Special Investigations Division furthered the investigation. Balsam was charged with Second Degree Assault-Domestic Violence, Class B Felony, Domestic Violence: Obstructing the Report of a Crime or Injury, Class A Misdemeanor, and Criminal Trespass, Class A Misdemeanor.

A Class B Felony is punishable up to 7 ½ years in State Prison, exclusive of fines. A Class A Misdemeanor is punishable by a term of imprisonment, exclusive of fines. Balsam was held on preventative detention, pending his arraignment at the Hillsborough County Superior Court-South on April 5, 2021.

If anyone has any further information regarding this case, please call the Nashua Police Department Crime Line 603-589-1665. Please follow the Nashua Police Department on Twitter @Nashuapolice.

