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For Immediate Release: June 23, 2020 Protester accidentally shoots himself at protest

FLORISSANT, MO- During tonight's protest in front of the Florissant Police Department a protester that has continuously been present at the protest as well as carrying a long rifle, accidentally discharged his own firearm, shooting himself. This occurred within close proximity of officers.

After the firearm discharged our officers immediately rendered aid to the victim.

This protester suffered a non-life threatening injury to his right foot and has been transported to a local hospital

No officers fired any shots.