



DenverDA

Mitchell R. Morrissey, District Attorney - Second Judicial District
201 W. Colfax Avenue, Dept. 801, Denver, CO 80202

Bus. Phone: 720-913-9000
Fax: 720-913-9035

NEWS RELEASE

July 21, 2014

Contact: Lynn Kimbrough, 720-913-9025

MAN CHARGED WITH ASSAULTING A POLICE OFFICER

Denver District Attorney Mitch Morrissey has formally charged a man accused of attacking a police officer with a deadly weapon on July 11, 2014.

Robert Bemoras (dob: 06-09-1964) is charged with *attempted first-degree assault on a peace officer (F4), menacing (F5), and three counts of third-degree assault on a peace officer (M1)*.

Bemoras is accused of causing a disturbance at a grocery store at 1111 S. Washington Street, and was contacted by the police and asked to leave the location. Bemoras became irate and pointed a knife at the officer. The charges further allege that Bemoras dropped the knife, punched the officer in the face and pulled out a hammer and swung it at the officer.

Bemoras remains in jail and is scheduled to appear in Denver County Courtroom 2100 on Wednesday July 23, 2014 at 9:30 a.m. for his second advisement on the charges.

-30-



Follow the Denver DA's Office on Twitter @ **DenverDAsOffice**