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## ***NEWS RELEASE***

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### **BICYCLE BANDIT SUSPECT CHARGED**

Denver District Attorney Mitch Morrissey has formally charged a man accused of a string of robberies as well as the attempted murder of police officers following a confrontation earlier this week.

**Shawn Scott** (dob: 02-14-77) is charged with three counts of attempted first-degree murder of a peace officer (F2), first-degree assault (F3), possession of a weapon by a previous offender (F4), and five counts of robbery (F4). He is accused of being the “bicycle bandit.”

On September 5, 2015, Denver police responded to the area of 3<sup>rd</sup> Avenue and Osage Street on a report of a wanted party with a gun. The charges allege that Scott, who was wanted in connection with numerous robberies, fired on police officers when they tried to arrest him.

Scott remains in custody in the Denver Detention Center; his bond has been set at \$100,000 on the attempted murder charges, and \$5,000 on the robbery charges. He is scheduled to appear in Denver County Courtroom 2100 on September 14, 2016 at 8:30 a.m. for his second advisement.

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The filing of a criminal charge is merely a formal accusation that an individual(s) committed a crime(s) under Colorado laws. A defendant is presumed innocent until and unless proven guilty. *See Colo. RPC 3.6*

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