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Ellicott City Man Charged with Indecent Exposure

Howard County police have charged an Ellicott City man in connection with a recent incident of indecent exposure. Jin Woo Yi, 23, of 8783 Town and Country Blvd., was charged with following a woman and exposing himself to her.

Police received a report Dec. 8 from an Ellicott City woman that a man followed her as she walked from her mailbox on Sonia Trail toward her front door. When she looked back at the man, he was standing in her front yard exposing himself and masturbating. The woman called police, who responded with a K-9 unit, but did not find the man.

The woman contacted police again this week when she saw the same man standing outside in the 8700 block of Town and Country Blvd. in Ellicott City. Police responded and after consulting with the victim, arrested Yi for the Dec. 8 indecent exposure.

Detectives are asking anyone with information about this case or any other indecent exposure incident to contact police at 410-313-3200.

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Editor's Note: At the time of Yi's arrest, he provided a Columbia address on Little Patuxent Parkway as his residence; therefore, all court charging documents refer to this location. However, detectives have confirmed that he is living at the above Ellicott City address.