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### **Suspicious Bottles Determined to be Safe**

On August 12, 2010, at approximately 9:07 a.m. an Arapahoe County Sheriff's Office deputy arrived to oversee an eviction process in the 7400 block of East Harvard Avenue. As items were being removed from the building, deputies found some suspicious looking bottles with wires protruding from them. The bottles contained an unknown liquid inside and resembled some type of homemade explosive device. Residents were evacuated and the area was secured. Personnel from the Arapahoe County Sheriff's Office Bomb Squad, Cunningham Fire Protection District, and South Metro Fire Hazmat Team responded to the home. Samples of the liquid were obtained, processed, and determined to be safe; the liquid was a harmless solution of chlorine and water.

There will be no further investigation into this matter and all residents have been allowed to return to their homes.

For further information, please contact Bureau Chief Bruce Williamson at 720-874-3776.

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