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had been reported stolen earlier that day. Additionally, the officers were able to observe that a man standing next to the vehicle, later identified as Beck, had a gun on his left hip.

As police approached the vehicle Beck got into the driver's seat. He failed to comply with commands and began shooting at

the officers, who returned fire. Beck then drove away from the scene, going south on River Road, while police pursued him.

During the pursuit, Becky Dietzel, 64, was struck and killed as she attempted to walk across the street at the intersection of River Road and Cummings. Beck continued driving until Salem Police were able to use a tactical maneuver to stop the vehicle near Home Depot on Cherry Avenue.

At that location police fired a single shot and, after a standoff, Beck eventually surrendered and was transported to Salem Hospital due to multiple gunshot wounds. No police officers were injured

during the extended confrontation with Sean Beck.

Beck has been released from Salem Hospital and is currently lodged at the Marion County Jail where he is being held without bail in this case. Additionally, Beck is also being held on a Fugitive Complaint from Washington State for a parole violation on a charge of Attempted Robbery in the Second Degree. His next court appearance is scheduled for Tuesday, August 17, at 8:30 a.m. at the Marion County Annex, 4000 Aumsville Hwy.

Due to the ongoing nature of the criminal case against Beck, the District

Attorney's office will not release any further details regarding the shooting or crimes at this time.

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## Nighthawk Woodworking

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Miles Christy loves wood.

“When I was younger, my grandfather was a carpenter and I followed him and my dad around everywhere when they were working around the house. My interest in woodworking grew out of that,” says Christy.

Christy's interest became Nighthawk Woodworking, his business he operates in his Keizer home. His main focus is custom work. “My signature service is the customization I provide from custom closet doors to tables designed

for the exact space where they will sit,” he explained. He also creates boxes designed around the object they will hold.

Custom furniture projects Christy has finished range from smaller cabinets and bookshelves to headboards and coffee tables.

Since starting Nighthawk Woodworking in late 2019, Christy has crafted each piece with the highest quality regardless of the size of the project. “I make sure all the details are taken into account, from the grain

pattern in each board to the finish that is applied,” he said.

His main goal is to keep wood products affordable price. “I work with each customer personally to meet design criteria and budget,” said Christy.

Examples of Nighthawk Woodworking's creations can be found on their Facebook page (@nighthawk.woodworking). To set up an appointment to discuss your wood project need, call Miles Christy at 503-877-3367.