SAVANNAH, Ga. (WSAV) - A Savannah woman was arrested Tuesday after admitting to falsely reporting an armed robbery and sexual assault at her home.

According to the Savannah Police Department, Holley Frawley, 31, was arrested on charges of false report of a crime and reckless conduct.

Officers responded to Frawley's home on E. DeRenne Avenue on Monday, March 5, around 2:45 p.m.

"We saw police running, they were on foot running down there. We knew something big was up," a neighbor told News 3.
Frawley told officers she answered her front door to a man posing as a delivery person.

She claims the suspect forced her to open the back door of the residence, letting two additional suspects inside. According to the original police report, the initial suspect then sexually assaulted her as two other suspects collected items.

Frawley claimed she was able to retrieve a firearm and fired shots at the suspects, who then fled the residence. No shooting injuries were reported.

She provided detectives with detailed descriptions of the men, including their race and items of clothing.

During the investigation, Frawley admitted that she fabricated the story.

“The report of this crime was frightening to many Savannah residents, not just those who lived nearby,” said Maj. DeVonn Adams, of the Criminal Investigations Unit. “We took this crime seriously and investigated it to the maximum only to learn that it never occurred. This tied up the time and resources of our patrol officers, detectives and forensics unit. We take the false report of a crime very seriously, and we guarantee that anyone who is caught doing this will face criminal charges.”