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Suspension Bridge Arrest

Shortly after 8 a.m. this morning, the Wheeling Police Department responded to the Suspension Bridge for a report of a man climbing the large cable on the downtown side of the bridge.

Police briefly closed the bridge and the man, who claimed to be a bridge inspector, climbed down.

Gregory Tyler Alderson, 26 of Fairmont, W.Va. was arrested for public intoxication and trespassing. He was released on a personal recognizance bond pending a court appearance.

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