

Adebayo, Herro have brief altercation in Las Vegas, AP source says

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Former Miami Heat teammates Bam Adebayo and Tyler Herro had a brief verbal and physical altercation at a practice facility for the NBA's Summer League in Las Vegas on Friday, according to a person with knowledge of the matter.

Adebayo struck Herro at least once during the encounter, said the person, who spoke on condition of anonymity to The Associated Press because neither player, nor their teams, revealed any details publicly.

Herro was traded to the Milwaukee Bucks earlier this month in the deal that brought Giannis Antetokounmpo to the Heat, where he'll play alongside Adebayo, the Heat captain.

The Heat said they were aware that an incident took place and declined further comment. Herro spoke briefly to The Miami Herald and the South Florida Sun-Sentinel after a summer game between the Bucks and Heat, saying "my only comment is no comment." Herro attended that game; Adebayo was not present for the contest.

ESPN first reported details of the altercation.

The person who spoke with AP said one of the factors related to the altercation was that Herro had evidently made some critical comments about Adebayo — and the three-year, \$166 million extension that Miami gave him in 2024. Herro is believed to have made those comments in direct messages to someone on social media, and screenshots of those conversations eventually went public.

In other events in Las Vegas at summer league on Friday:

YOUNG DISCUSSES NEW DEAL WITH WIZARDS

The Washington Wizards essentially have been holding team meetings in Las Vegas, with veterans at Summer League to watch No. 1 pick AJ Dybantsa — and players such as Anthony Davis showing up to support Trae Young at the news conference discuss-

ing his \$212 million, four-year deal.

Young seemed to enjoy the team bonding.

"I'm a people's person," Young said. "I think to be the best version of yourself, you've got to be in the most comfortable spot for yourself. I mean, surround yourself with the right people and the right things. And for me, just being around here (for) the few months that I was after I got traded, it just felt like this could be my next home. And I mean, that's why I'm here."

Young is a four-time All-Star who was sidelined by injuries for most of this past season, averaging just 17.9 points — more than seven points per game below his career average — in only 15 games with Atlanta and Washington. He made five appearances with the Wizards after getting traded to them by the Hawks, who had Young for his first 7 1/2 NBA seasons.

Young said he's heard the criticism of how much money the Wizards committed to him, insisting he's not bothered.

"I don't really care about what other people think," Young said. "I just care about what the people in this organization think, my teammates think and how we're going to get better and how we're going to find ways to win games. So, what everybody else has to say, I mean, it's all irrelevant to me."

UNION DISPLEASED WITH SECOND APRON

Newly installed National Basketball Players Association executive director David Kelly lashed out at the second apron Friday, saying the union will fight it in the next collective bargaining agreement.

"We are not fans of the second apron," Kelly said. "We did not propose the second apron. We should have done a better job of fighting back against the second apron, and in the future, we will have a much more unified union, and we will do a better of fighting it back against a second apron."

Kelly was responding to a question surrounding something NBA veter-



Miami Heat teammates celebrate center Bam Adebayo, right, after he scored 83 points, the second-highest single game total in NBA history, in a win on March 10 over the Wizards.

Washington Wizards guard Trae Young attempts a technical foul free throw against the New Orleans Pelicans in the second half of an NBA basketball game in New Orleans on March 8.

Peter Forest | Associated Press

an Kyle Kuzma wrote on social media earlier this month. Kuzma said "the first and second apron are starting to function like a hard cap on player value, team continuity, and player movement."

Kuzma called on the union to raise its game and not, as he put it, have the league "continue to run circles around us time and time again with elite lawyers, economists, cap experts, media strategists, and long term business operators."

Kelly took some issue with that, saying he did so respectfully.

"You don't ever go into any sort of a competition trying to score as many points as your opponent," Kelly said. "We do not need anyone who is equal to the NBA. The NBA is not the standard. We need people who will fight for us and force the NBA to raise their game to our standard."





LEGAL NOTICE

ORDINANCE NO. 25.08
AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF WHITESVILLE, KENTUCKY, ESTABLISHING A SCHEDULE OF RATES AND CHARGES FOR THE WHITESVILLE WATER WORKS AND THE CITY SEWER SYSTEM FOR THE FISCAL YEAR COMMENCING JULY 1, 2026 AND ENDING JUNE 30, 2027, AND PROVIDING FOR THE COLLECTION OF SAME.

WHEREAS, the City of Whitesville, Kentucky, operates a municipal water and sewer system for the benefit of the citizens of the incorporated and unincorporated area of the community, including water/sewer users within the corporate limits of the city and water users outside the corporate limits of the city; and

WHEREAS, the City of Whitesville, Kentucky, has made an examination of the rates and charges for the water and sewer services of the municipality of Whitesville and has found some adjustments to said rates to be in order.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF WHITESVILLE, KENTUCKY, that effective with the August 1, 2026 billing, the following rates shall be charged to and collected from all parties making use of the water works and the sewer services.

WATER RATES FOR SERVICE INSIDE THE CORPORATE LIMITS OF THE CITY:

0-2000 GALLONS OF WATER USAGE	22.46
EACH ADDJTIONAL 1000 GALLONS OF WATER USAGE	7.78

WATER RATES FOR SERVICE OUTSIDE THE CORPORATE LIMITS OF THE CITY:

0-2000 GALLONS OF WATER USAGE	24.50
EACH ADDJTIONAL 1000 GALLONS OF WATER USAGE	8.36

SEWER RATES:

0-2000 GALLONS OF WATER USAGE	30.86
EACH ADDJTIONAL 1000 GALLONS OF WATER USAGE	19.09

SECTION ONE: The City Commission approves a rate increase of four (4%) percent based on the July 1, 2026 rates; to begin on August 1, 2026 and the same rate increase shall occur on January 1, 2027 and July 1, 2027 in order to keep the rates current with the expense required to operate the water system. The sewer rate will increase one and a half (1.50%) percent, and the same rate increase shall occur on January 1, 2027. These rates may be subject to change dependent upon the municipalities that supply the water and sewer systems altering their rates.

SECTION TWO: All ordinances, or parts of ordinances, in conflict herewith are, to the extent of such conflict, hereby repealed.

SECTION THREE: The Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage. Introduced and publicly read on first reading, this the **23rd** day of **June**, 2026.
Publicly read and approved on second reading, this the **7th** day of **July**, 2026

ATTEST:
Jacquelyn M.Brooks, City Clerk

Patsy Mayfield, Mayor

Mike Yewell

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