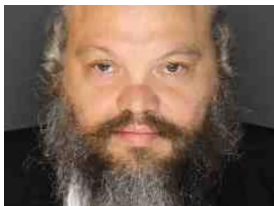


# Monsey man grabbed Nyack waitress, cops say

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*A Monsey man has been accused of groping a waitress at a Nyack restaurant.*



*(Photo: Orangetown police)*

NYACK – A Monsey man has been accused of groping a woman working at a South Broadway restaurant.

Avraham Gefner, of Phyllis Terrace, has been charged with forcible touching, a misdemeanor, Orangetown police said.

The woman was working as a waitress about 7 p.m. July 30 when Gefner grabbed her thigh and buttocks, police said. The woman reported the incident to her manager, but Gefner left before authorities could respond.

A police investigation began aided by a [public search on social media \(https://www.facebook.com/photo.php?fbid=10203139592344603&set=a.1900856875063.2107164.1050923259&type=1&fref=nf\)](https://www.facebook.com/photo.php?fbid=10203139592344603&set=a.1900856875063.2107164.1050923259&type=1&fref=nf). On Friday, Gefner was arrested, police said.

The 46-year-old, who was released without bail, is to appear in Nyack Village Court on Sept. 23.

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