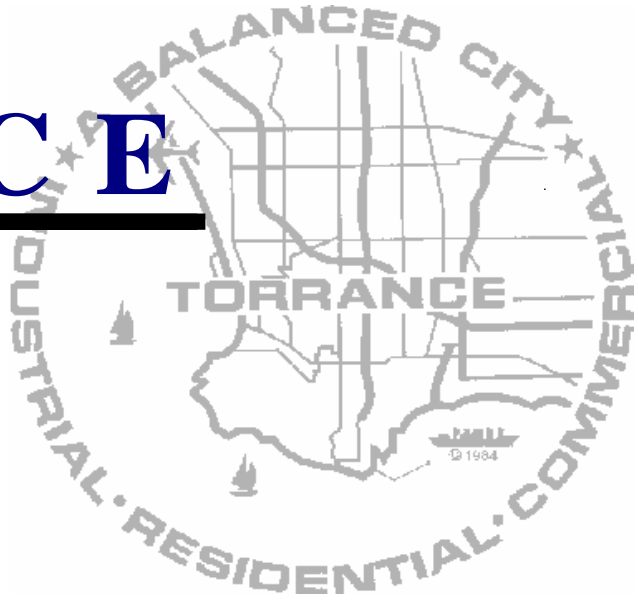


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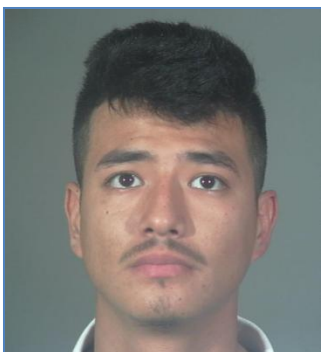
SHOOTING INVESTIGATION FOLLOW-UP INFORMATION

On May 2, 2019, at about 9:20 PM, Torrance Police Officers responded to the 23100 block of Ladeene Avenue regarding a report of gunshots fired in the area. Upon arrival, Officers located a gunshot victim with non-life threatening injuries.

Detectives conducted an in-depth investigation and extensive follow-up in order to identify the involved suspects and ensure the safety of the community. On May 22, 2019, Investigators arrested the following individuals in the City of Commerce in connection with the shooting:



Jesus Padilla Maldonado
19 yrs of age
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Salvador Campos Reyes
22 yrs of age
Compton

Investigators identified Padilla-Maldonado as the shooter and Campos-Reyes as an accomplice.

On May 28, 2019, Investigators filed charges of Assault with a Deadly Weapon resulting in Great Bodily Injury and Attempt Robbery with the Los Angeles District Attorney's Office.

This isolated incident does not appear to be gang related; however, Investigators believe the incident is related to narcotics.

The victim was released from the hospital and is recovering.

This investigation is being conducted under the command of Torrance Police Captain Mark Underwood of the Special Operations Bureau. Anyone with information regarding this incident is encouraged to contact the Torrance Police Department at (310) 328-3456 (DR #190019711).



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