



NEWS RELEASE

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From: Lieutenant Brad Rasmussen. For further information contact Detective Norm Taylor.

On 03-16-07, at 1957 hours, the Lake County Sheriff's Department dispatch center received a cellular 911 call regarding a stabbing incident in front of TNT on the Lake, 1 First St. Lakeport, CA. Three Lakeport Police Department units assisted by two California Highway Patrol units and three Lake County Sheriff's Department units responded to the scene and located a 20 year old male victim who had been stabbed numerous times. Lakeport Fire Department medical units responded to the scene and transported the victim to Sutter Lakeside Hospital. Due to the seriousness of his injuries the victim was later transported to Santa Rosa Memorial Hospital by REACH.

Lakeport Police Department officers identified and located five documented members of the Sureno Street Gang who were arrested for the stabbing. The suspects are identified as follows:

Ricardo Muniz, Age 18 of Lakeport CA
Charges: 664PC/187 PC – Attempted Murder
186.22 PC – Criminal Street Gang Enhancement
Bail: 150,000.00 – Held at the Lake County Correctional Facility

Elias Hernandez, Age 19 of Lakeport CA
Charges: 182 PC/664 PC/187PC- Conspiracy/Attempted Murder
186.22 PC – Criminal Street Gang Enhancement
Bail: 150,000.00 – Held at the Lake County Correctional Facility

Male Juvenile, Age 14 of Lakeport CA
Charges: 182PC/664PC/187PC – Conspiracy/Attempted Murder
186.22PC – Criminal Street Gang Enhancement

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Chief of Police

Male Juvenile, Age 16 of Lakeport CA
Charges: 664PC/187PC- Attempted Murder
186.22PC – Criminal Street Gang Enhancement

Male Juvenile, Age 17 of Lakeport CA
Charges: 182PC/664PC/187PC – Conspiracy/Attempted Murder
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