

Press Release: UPDATE with Arrest of Shooting Incident

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Incident: UPDATE with Arrest of Shooting Incident

Contact: Watch Commander, 805-339-4416

Location: Ventura Beachfront Promenade Near the Crown Plaza Hotel

Date/Time Occurred: June 15, 2013, 1:43 a.m.

Officer(s) Involved: VPD Patrol, VPD Detectives

Victim(s):

Victim #1: Male, 23 yrs, Ventura Resident

Victim #2: Male, 23 yrs, Simi Valley Resident

Suspect(s): UPDATE: Erick Estrada, 25 yrs, Ventura Resident, & a 17 yr. old male juvenile, Ventura Resident

2 Hispanic Males, Late Teens/Early 20's, Both Wearing Dark Clothing

Report #: 13-6770

Narrative:

UPDATE:

Ventura Police Detectives developed additional information in this case that identified Erick Estrada, and a 17 yr. old male juvenile, as the suspects in this crime.

Estrada was contacted at Ventura County Jail by VPD Detectives and was booked for attempt murder and street terrorism. The juvenile was arrested for the same charges and booked into juvenile hall.

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Narrative from the original release follows:

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On the above date and time, the Ventura Police Department Command Center received calls in reference to multiple gunshots heard near the Crown Plaza hotel. Ventura Police Officers responded to the scene and located the victims in the area of the promenade near the hotel. Both victims were suffering from multiple gunshot wounds.

Investigating Officers learned the victims were walking in the area of the Promenade near the Crown Plaza Hotel when one of the suspects physically attacked one of the victims. During the confrontation one suspect began firing a gun, striking each victim multiple times. The suspects then fled the area and were last seen running across Harbor Blvd. in the area of California St.

Ventura Police Patrol Officers searched the area however the suspects were not located. The victims were transported to the hospital for their injuries. Their injuries do not appear to be life threatening.

The investigation into this incident is ongoing. Anyone with information related to this incident is urged to call Detective Sutherland at 339-4467.