



NEWS RELEASE

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Incident: Felony Evading Arrest

Location: Darling Road and Petit Ave

Date/Time Occurred: 11/23/16 0234 hours

Officer(s) Involved: VPD Patrol

Suspect(s): Anthony Mosqueda 27, Ventura resident

Report #: 16-16215

Narrative:

On the above date and time, a Ventura Police patrol officer attempted an enforcement stop on a vehicle being driven by the suspect, later identified as Anthony Mosqueda on Darling Road east of Petit Avenue. Mosqueda failed to yield to the officer and accelerated away at a high rate of speed.

The officer pursued Mosqueda as he continued east on Darling Road before turning southbound Burlington Avenue. Mosqueda continued to evade officers' through the residential area for several miles. Mosqueda exited the vehicle as he turned onto Medford Street and attempted to flee on foot. Officers located Mosqueda a short distance from his vehicle and took him into custody without incident.

Mosqueda was placed under arrest and transported to the Ventura County Jail where he was booked for felony evading and resisting arrest. Mosqueda is a PROS offender and is on probation for gang crimes and possession of a stolen vehicle.

The complete press release, including suspect description, can be viewed online at www.venturapd.org

If you have any information about this crime, you can make an anonymous call to Crime Stoppers at 1-800-222-TIPS.

If your information leads to an arrest, you could receive a cash reward of up to \$1,000.

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