CITY OF VENTURA POLICE DEPARTMENT

NEWS RELEASE

Incident: Battery and Elder Abuse Arrest

Location: 200 block E. Main St.

Date/Time Occurred: 11-1-2019 @ 1900 hours

Officer(s) Involved: Ventura Patrol

Suspect(s): Julian Munoz 31 years, Vagrant

Report #: 19-78440

Narrative:

On the above date and time, a Ventura Police Volunteer (VIP) witnessed the suspect Munoz attacking a 71-year-old elderly male victim. The VIP called into the Ventura Police Command Center, and officers were dispatched to the location.

Through the course of the investigation, the officers learned that Munoz had attacked the victim. Once the victim fell to the ground Munoz continued his attack. The victim suffered moderate non-life threatening injuries and was taken to a local hospital for medical care.

Munoz was arrested for felony elder abuse and misdemeanor battery. No officers were injured during the arrest. Since 2017 Munoz has been arrested three times for resisting a police officer, twice for vandalism, and once for petty theft.

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.