

Foot Pursuit with Post Release Offender Arrest and Battery on an Officer



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Incident: Foot Pursuit with Post Release Offender Arrest and Battery on an Officer

Location: 100 block of South California Street, Ventura

Date/Time Occurred: 8/18/15 @ 6:41pm

Officer(s) Involved: Ventura Police Patrol Officers

Victim(s): Ventura Police Patrol Officer

Suspect(s): #1: Anthony Mosqueda, 26 years from Ventura

#2: Kathleen Mosqueda, 19 years from Ventura

#3: Juan Loaza, 22 years from Ventura

Report #: 15-11127

Narrative:

On the above date and time, patrol officers responded to a reported domestic in the 100 block of South California St. As the first patrol officer arrived on scene and attempted to contact the involved people, Anthony Mosqueda who was an involved person, fled from the officer. The officer chased after him and the foot pursuit led the officer onto the Promenade area of the beach. As the officer pursued Anthony, a female who was later identified as Anthony's sister, Kathleen Mosqueda, shoved the officer in an attempt to stop the officer's pursuit of her brother. As the officer stopped to contact Kathleen and determine why she had pushed him, her boyfriend Juan Loaza, kicked the officer from behind. At that point, the officer realized the contact wasn't accidental, and he attempted to detain both Loaza and Kathleen Mosqueda. Both of them became combative with him. As he attempted to handcuff Loaza, Kathleen continued to attack him. Once Loaza was in custody, the officer arrested Kathleen and placed her in handcuffs. As he did this, Loaza who was handcuffed, ran away from the officer, and the officer pursued after him for a short distance and caught him.

As this was occurring, other officers who were also in the area captured the original outstanding suspect, Anthony Mosqueda. A records check revealed he had a felony warrant for violation of his Post Release Offender status. He also injured himself while he was running from the officers. He was treated at VCMC and later booked at Ventura County Jail for the warrant and resisting arrest. Kathleen Mosqueda and Juan Loaza were both arrested and booked at Ventura County Jail for battery on an officer and violently delaying/resisting an officer.

The officer was also treated at VCMC for minor injuries he received during the incident.

The investigation into this incident is ongoing. Anyone with information related to this incident is urged to call the Ventura Police Department at (805) 339-4488.