

## Battery on Police Officer and violent Resisting Arrest

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**03/09/2015**

**Incident:** Battery on Police Officer and Violent Resisting Arrest

**Contact:** Watch Commander, 805.339.4416

**Location:** 4800 Block Telephone Rd

**Date/Time Occurred:** March 9, 2015 at 5:50 p.m.

**Officer(s) Involved:** Ventura Police Dept Patrol Officers

**Victim:** Ventura Police Officer R. Nunez ID #417

**Suspect:** Anthony Partida 43 years old, Ventura Resident

**Report #:** 15-03298

**Narrative:**

On March 9, 2015 at 5:50 p.m., Officer R. Nunez, ID #417 was responding to East Main St and Telephone Rd to assist with a traffic collision. Officer Nunez was sitting in stopped traffic on Telephone Rd across from Barnes and Noble when he was alerted by citizens in the area that there was a 40-year-old, Hispanic male, wearing a black shirt, later identified as Anthony Partida, who was trying to fight people in their cars and was causing a disturbance.

Officer Nunez was actively calling in the disturbance when Partida came up to Officer Nunez's patrol unit and tried to open the passenger door. Officer Nunez's passenger window was open and when Partida could not open the door, he reached inside the patrol car and tried to open it from the inside. Officer Nunez yelled at Partida to step back from the patrol car. Partida refused any order that Officer Nunez gave him and continued to try and get in his patrol car.

Officer Nunez jumped out of his car and confronted Partida who then rushed Officer Nunez and bear hugged him. Officer Nunez began to fight with Partida trying to push him away. Partida then used his forehead and hit Officer Nunez in the chin. Officer Nunez was able to take Partida to the ground where the struggle continued before Officer Nunez was able to get him into custody.

Partida told Officer's at the scene that he needed a ride and had places to go and this was the reason he was trying to get into cars and Officer Nunez's patrol unit.

Partida was treated at VCMC for his minor injuries and was later booked at Ventura County Jail for 243(b)PC, battery on a Peace Officer and 69PC, violently resisting arrest.

Officer Nunez sustained minor injuries that were treated at the scene by paramedics.

The investigation into this incident is ongoing. Anyone who witnessed this incident or who has information related to this incident is urged to call the Ventura Police Department at (805) 339-4309.