



# KING CITY POLICE DEPARTMENT

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## **PRESS RELEASE** **FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE**

**TYPE OF INCIDENT:** Gang Related Attempt Murder

**DATE:** 07/18/17

**CASE NUMBER:** 17-0828

**SUSPECTS:**

Gustavo Garcia,	21 yrs., King City, Ca.
Heber Veronica,	19 yrs., King City, Ca.
Francisco Martinez,	18 yrs., King City, Ca.
Marco Velasquez,	18 yrs., King City, Ca.

### **Synopsis:**

On 07/18/17 at approximately 7:20 pm, officers responded to the area of 530 Van Nort St. regarding a gunshot victim. Upon arrival officers located the male victim who had sustained a single gunshot wound to his left forearm. The suspect vehicle was described as a grey vehicle. One witness stated it was an SUV.

An officer enroute to the crime scene observed a grey Jeep SUV in the alleyway the rear of 622 Oates Ave. with multiple occupants. He passed the alleyway, turned around to check the grey SUV, and as he did so it came out of the alley onto Andrus and then turned left onto Oates Ave. where a high risk traffic stop was conducted. The four suspects listed above were detained.

The area where the grey Jeep SUV had been seen in the alley was searched and three semi-automatic handguns were recovered from shrubs lining the alley way, where it appeared they had been thrown.

Based on the sequence of events and recovery of the three weapons where the grey Jeep SUV was seen parked, the above subjects were booked into custody and lodged into the Monterey County Jail.

The investigation is continuing. We are urging anyone who may have information concerning this incident to contact the King City Police Department. Please contact Chief Robert Masterson or Capt. Allen Rowe at (831) 385-4848.