



PRESS RELEASE

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Gilroy Police Department
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TYPE OF CRIME:

Indecent Exposure

CASE NUMBER: 11-2278

LOCATION: 400 Block of Lewis Street

DATE: 5/21/2011

TIME: 1512

VICTIM: Multiple Juvenile Victims (Withheld)

SUSPECT #1: Jose Franco

DOB: 03/21/1972

ADDRESS: 450 Sands Drive #102 San Jose California

BOOKING CHARGES: 314.1 PC- Indecent Exposure and others (see narrative)

RACE: H

AGE: 39

SEX: M

HEIGHT: 5'03

WEIGHT: 145

HAIR: BLK **EYES:** BRO

ADDITIONAL INFO:

Details

On 05/21/2011, approximately 1512 hours, GPD received a report of an indecent exposure that occurred in the 400 block of Lewis Street. The reporting party provided a suspect and vehicle description (to include a partial license plate) to Gilroy Police Department Communications. While responding to the area, an Officer observed a vehicle matching the description given and contacted the driver of the vehicle, later identified as Jose Franco.

During the course of the investigation, it was learned Franco approached three female juveniles in the area that were selling lemonade. While purchasing the lemonade, Franco ultimately exposed his penis to the juveniles and then fled the area in his vehicle.

Franco was subsequently arrested for 314.1 PC- Indecent Exposure, 11357 (b) HS- Possession of less than one ounce of Marijuana, and 14601.1 (a) VC- Driving on a suspended license.

The Gilroy Police Department urges anyone who have may have witnessed the incident or was a victim to contact the non-emergency telephone number, 408-846-0350

For any media inquiries please call (408) 846-0347. Parties wishing to remain anonymous may call WeTip at 1-800-782-7463 (1-800-78-Crime).

End of Media Advisory

By: Officer Stanford

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