



SANTA CRUZ POLICE DEPARTMENT

155 Center Street, Santa Cruz, CA 95060

MEDIA RELEASE

DATE/TIME: October 23, 2011 – 10:11 PM

LOCATION: 100 Block of Bixby Street

TOPIC: Stabbing

CASE NUMBER: 11S-09061

INVOLVED SUBJECTS:

1. Name: Unknown Hispanic Male Arrested: ☐ Yes ☒ No

DOB: 17-25 years-old

Charges: 664/187

5'6"-5'8" – Medium Build - Black Pants, Black Shirt, Black Hat, White Shoes

VICTIM:

Male – Santa Cruz Resident – 26 years-old

INFORMATION:

On October 23, 2011 at 10:11 pm, Santa Cruz Police Department officers responded to the 100 block of Bixby Street for a report of a stabbing. According to witnesses, the victim was backing his car out of a driveway when the suspect approached, made a gang statement and stabbed the victim through the open driver's side window. The suspect said nothing else and then left on foot on Bixby toward San Lorenzo. Officers, including the police K9, canvassed the area to no avail.

The victim sustained multiple stab wounds to his hand and chest and was transported to an out-of-county trauma center in serious condition. The victim was alert when transported. Based on the suspect's statement investigators believe the stabbing is gang-motivated. The victim stated he did not know the suspect. Witnesses met with investigators as the scene was processed until early this morning.

Anyone with additional information is asked to contact Santa Cruz Police Department Investigations at (831) 420-5820 or leave an anonymous tip at www.santacruzpolice.com or via the department's mobile app.