



News Release

City of San Luis Obispo
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WHAT: Arrests for Strong-Armed Robberies

WHERE: Santa Rosa and Olive Streets – San Luis Obispo

WHEN: 01/16/2010 at 2:36 AM

VICTIMS: Cal Poly Student - Male – Age 21
Cal Poly Student - Male – Age 22

SUSPECTS: Steven Randy MEDINA – Age 23 – Arroyo Grande, CA
Alejandro AMBRIZ – Age 23 – Tulare, CA
Moses Isaac PERALTA – Age 22 – Tulare, CA

On 01-16-2010 at approximately 2:19 AM Police Officers from the Cal Poly and San Luis Obispo Police Departments responded to a reported strong-armed robbery that occurred on the Cal Poly campus near the recreation center. A 21-year old male Cal poly student was beaten by multiple suspects. One or more of the suspects stole personal property from the victim. The suspects were seen leaving in a green Dodge truck.

At approximately 2:27 AM San Luis Obispo Police and Fire Paramedics responded to a similar report of a strong-armed robbery that occurred in the 300 block of Longview, not far from the original robbery. A 22-year old male Cal Poly student was beaten by multiple suspects. One or more of the suspects stole property from the victim.

At approximately 2:36 AM a San Luis Obispo Police Officer witnessed an assault near the intersection of Santa Rosa and Walnut Streets. Steven MEDINA, Alejandro AMBRIZ, and Moses PERALTA were detained for the offense. During the course of the assault investigation Police Officers determined the three suspects were responsible for the two robberies that occurred earlier. The green Dodge truck, belonging to Alejandro AMBRIZ, contained property belonging to the robbery victims.

All three suspects were arrested and booked into the San Luis Obispo County Jail. Steven MEDINA and Moses PERALTA were booked on two counts of robbery, one count of battery, and one count of possession of stolen property. Alejandro AMBRIZ was booked on two counts of robbery and one count of possession of stolen property. At the time of this press release all three suspects remained in jail with bail set at \$80,000.00 each.

This investigation is active and ongoing. Any persons with information regarding these offenses are urged to call the San Luis Obispo Police Department at (805) 781-7317 or Crime Stopper at (805) 549-STOP.

Any further questions should be referred to the Press Information Officer. Anonymous information may be referred to Crime Stopper @ (805) 549-STOP

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