

San Diego County SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT

NEWS RELEASE INFORMATION SHEET

Subject: Burglary Arrest - City of Poway

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SYNOPSIS:

On the afternoon of May 28, 2018, Poway deputies responded to investigate a report of a burglary in the 14000 block of Palisades Drive in the City of Poway. A neighbor heard a burglary alarm sounding and saw a Hispanic male, later identified as 32 year-old Alvaro Valencia, running away from a residence.

Another resident spotted Valencia and kept Sheriff's dispatchers updated with Valencia's location. The dispatchers relayed the information to the deputies. Once deputies arrived, they established a perimeter and subsequently located Valencia in the 14000 block of Arbolitos Drive in Poway.

Deputies learned that Valencia was a parolee from Los Angeles County. Deputies arrested Valencia for residential burglary and for a parole violation. He was transported and booked into San Diego Central Jail.

This case exemplifies the community partnership between these alert citizens in Poway and the Sheriff's Department. These citizens are commended for reporting the suspicious activity immediately. They kept observation and updated dispatchers about the suspect's location. The teamwork between the responding deputies, dispatchers and citizens led to the rapid and safe conclusion of this burglary investigation.

Call Crime Stoppers at (888) 580-8477 with information and you will remain anonymous. You may be eligible for up to a \$1,000 reward for information leading to a felony arrest.



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