

PRESS RELEASE

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TYPE OF INCIDENT: Attempt Murder Investigation	
LOCATION: 21221 Banff Lane, in the City of Huntington Beach	
DATE/TIME OF OCCURRENCE: Friday, 12-04-09, at 10: 00 PM	CASE NUMBER: 2009- 20578

SUSPECT INFORMATION

ARRESTED: YES x NO

(Use additional page(s) for listing multiple suspects)

ESPINOZA, Shawn Michael
39 years old

(OR DESCRIPTION):			

SUSPECT VEHICLE INFORMATION

MAKE/MODEL: None Seen	COLOR:	YEAR:
LICENSE/STATE:	DIRECTION OF TRAVEL:	

DETAILS: On Friday, 12-04-09, at 2200 hours, a male suspect confronted the victim in front of his residence at 21221 Banff Lane, in the City of Huntington Beach, demanding the victim's wallet, stating he owed somebody money. When the victim refused, the male suspect shot him in the leg and fled the scene. The area was checked by responding officers, but they were unable to locate the suspects. HBPD detectives were called to the scene. The victim sustained a single gun shot to the leg, which did not appear to be life threatening.

The investigation revealed the shooter was, Shawn Espinoza, and the incident did not appear to be a random robbery. HBPD detectives obtained an arrest warrant and located the suspect, Espinoza, in the City of Garden Grove. Espinoza was arrested by detectives and the Huntington Beach SWAT team was used to safely serve a search warrant where Espinoza was staying. Espinoza was booked into Orange County jail for attempted murder and attempted robbery.