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## **SUSPECT IN PARK SHOOTING ARRESTED**

Riverside, CA – On June 12, 2018, at approximately 12:20 p.m., the Riverside Police and Fire Public Safety Dispatch Center received a call of several shots fired at Bobby Bonds Park, located in the 2000 block of University Avenue in the Eastside Neighborhood. The caller reported a male suspect was shooting at another male. Officers quickly arrived but did not locate any victims or suspects. Evidence of a shooting was found at the park near the intersection of University Avenue and Douglass Avenue. Also, nearby vehicles, houses, and buildings were thoroughly checked for bullet strikes but none were found.

Detectives assigned to the Riverside Police Department's Gang Unit conducted follow-up investigation and developed information about the suspect's identity. An arrest warrant for attempted murder was obtained and detectives continued their search for him. On Friday, August 3, 2018, the Gang Unit, along with the METRO Team (SWAT) conducted surveillance at an apartment complex in the 1100 block of Blaine Street. The suspect was seen in a vehicle driving away, but members of the METRO Team made a traffic stop and safely detained the suspect. A search was later done



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at the apartment and a firearm was recovered.

Moises Gonzalez, 18-years-old of Riverside, was arrested and later booked into the Robert Presley Detention Center for attempted murder, obstructing police, and various weapons violations. He is currently being held on \$1,000,000 bail.

Anyone with information regarding this investigation is urged to contact Detective J. Ontko at (951) 353-7235 or [jontko@riversideca.gov](mailto:jontko@riversideca.gov). Those wishing to remain anonymous can email [rpdtips@riversideca.gov](mailto:rpdtips@riversideca.gov) or utilize the Riverside Police Department's mobile app "Submit a Tip" feature while referencing incident number P18145024.

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