



SAN BENITO POLICE

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PRESS RELEASE

RESISTING ARREST / ASSAULT FAMILY VIOLENCE

THURSDAY AUGUST 1ST, 2013



Orlando Alaniz

On Wednesday July 31, 2013, at 10:11 pm. San Benito Police responded to a residence located on the 600 Block of East Hicks Street in reference to a domestic disturbance between husband and wife. Upon the Police Officers arrival they made contact with 31 year old Orlando Alaniz who advised the Officers that he had just assaulted his wife 36 year old wife by pushing her against the restroom wall after an argument. The Officers then confirmed the information given by Orlando Alaniz with his wife who displayed an injury to her forehead allegedly caused by the suspect during the assault. Female victim refused medical attention, and the Officers placed Orlando Alaniz under arrest for Assault class A Family Violence. A local check revealed that the suspect had also outstanding traffic warrants totaling \$526.50. Suspect was booked into City Jail where he was later arraigned by Municipal Judge David Garza who set bond at \$3,000.

Karina Montoya

On Thursday August 1st, 2013, at 02:09 am. A San Benito Police Officer observed a white Chevrolet SUV traveling at a high rate of speed by the 300 Block of Hidalgo Street almost crashing with the Police Officers unit head on. The Police Officer then managed to turn his patrol unit around, and was able to catch up to the white SUV by the 100 Block of West Expressway 83. The Police Officers then made contact with the driver who was identified as 27 year old Karina Montoya who stated that she was going to a nearby hotel room where she was staying at. The Police Officer then noticed that the driver presented signs of impairment due to alcohol consumption, and proceeded to administer a standardized field sobriety test on the driver. After the sobriety, the Officer requested a breath sample from the female driver who refused the test. The Police Officers then placed Karina Montoya under arrest for Driving While Intoxicated. Karina Montoya refused to get inside the Police Unit, and at one point she attempted to leave while still in hand restraints. Karina Montoya was eventually placed inside the patrol unit, and taken to City Jail where she continued being uncooperative with the Officers. Karina Montoya was arraigned by



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Municipal Judge David Garza on charges of resisting arrest, search or transportation as well as DWI, and bonds were set at \$5,000.

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