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\*\*\*NEWS RELEASE\*\*\*
August 5, 2018

<b>PD Report Number:</b> 18-0	069223	<b>Date/Time Occurred:</b>	August 5 <sup>th</sup> ,	2018 at 1	2:51	AM
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**Type of Incident:** Attempted Murder **Location:** 1500 block of W. Prospect

Name of Business (if applicable):

Suspect:	Age:	<u>Arrested:</u>

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**Details:** On August 5th, 2018 at approximately 12:51 AM, officers responded to the 1500 block of W. Prospect regarding a large party that was believed have over 100 participants. As officers were arriving on scene, a physical altercation took place between subjects attending the party. As officers were working to break up the fight, several shots were fired east of their location at the intersection of Prospect and Giddings. Officers responded and discovered one victim suffering from a gunshot wound. As officers were tending to the first victim, two additional victims were located after being transported by vehicle to Kaweah Delta Medical Center. The three victims include two adults and one 17 year old juvenile. The juvenile and one of the adults received non-life threatening injuries and are in stable condition. The second adult received life threatening injuries and is listed in critical condition. The Violent Crimes Unit and Crime Lab were called out to take over the investigation. There is no suspect description at this time and anyone with information regarding this incident is encouraged to contact Det. Sorensen of at 559-713-4576

Arresting / Investigating Officer: Det. Sorensen Supervisor: Sgt. Ford