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VPD Report Number: 20-020247 Type of Incident: ADW, Arson **Date/Time Occurred:** 03/10/20 1336 **Location:** 1819 E. Noble

Name of Business (if applicable):

Walmart

Suspect:	Age:	Arrested:
1. Miguel Ayalla	38	Yes
2. Amanda Jaramillo	37	Yes

Details: On 03/10/20 at 1336 hours, officers were dispatched to Walmart in regards to suspects that had fired a flare gun into the Garden Department as they drove away following a confrontation with employees. The employees had previously stopped the suspects from stealing from the store. The Violent Crimes Unit investigated the case and (S) Ayalla and (S) Jaramillo were identified as the suspects in the case.

On 03/29/20 at 0955 hours, patrol officers located both suspects at a residence in the 300 block of N. Hall. (S) Ayalla ran from the scene and was apprehended by a Police K9 unit. Both suspects were booked for Assault with a Deadly Weapon and Arson.

Arresting / Investigating Officer: Patrol/VC

Supervisor: Sgt. M. Verissimo, S36

