

VISALIA POLICE
303 S. JOHNSON
VISALIA, CA 93291
PRESS RELEASE

Crime or Accident No. 11-00222 **Date and Time Occurred:** 1-5-2011, 1551 hrs

Type of Incident: Possession of Heroin and Methamphetamine for Sales, Conspiracy **Location:** Lincoln Oval Park

Victim or Party: State of Ca **Age** **City:**
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Suspect: Macaro Ortega	Age: 40	Arrested: Yes	City: Visalia
Suspect: Rogelio Garcia	Age: 29	Arrested: Yes	City: Visalia
Suspect:			City:

Details: On 1-5-2011 at approximately 1500hrs members of the Visalia Police Department's Narcotics Unit began conducting surveillance at the Lincoln Oval Park as part of an ongoing narcotics investigation. As a result (2) Hispanic male adults were observed conducting hand to hand narcotics sales and were subsequently detained with the assistance of District 1 Patrol. Located in the Suspect's possession were several baggies of both heroin and crystal methamphetamine packaged for sales. Both Suspect's booked at Tulare County Mail Jail for the following Felony charges: Conspiracy, Possession of Heroin for Sales, and Possession of Methamphetamine for Sales.

Arresting Officer(s): Narcotics, D-1 Patrol **Injuries:** None

Investigating Officer(s): Narcotics

Property Stolen or Recovered: N/A **Date and Time Released:** 1-5-2011, 1800 hrs

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Suspect Photo
When Appropriate

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