



VISALIA POLICE DEPARTMENT

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*****NEWS RELEASE*****

January 1, 2019

VPD Report Number: 19-000021

Date/Time Occurred: 1/1/19 at 0003 hours

Type of Incident: negligent discharge of a firearm /
possession of a high capacity magazine

Location: 400 blk of NE 2nd Ave. (Visalia)

Name of Business (if applicable):

Suspect:

Age:

Arrested:

1. Jose Antonio Coria

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YES

2.

Details: On January 1st, 2019 at approximately 0003 hours officers with The Visalia Police Department were in the 400 blk of NE 2nd Ave on an unrelated call for service. At this time they heard a significant amount of shots being fired from a residence nearby. After contacting the occupants of that home it was learned that S/Coria had fired over 25 rounds from a handgun equipped with a high capacity magazine. Officers recovered the suspected weapon along with another handgun discarded in the area. S/Coria was arrested and booked at the Tulare County Adult Pretrial Facility for negligent discharge of a firearm, and possession of a high capacity magazine.

Arresting / Investigating Officer: Patrol

Supervisor: Sgt. Curtis Brown

