



# VISALIA POLICE DEPARTMENT

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**\*\*\*NEWS RELEASE\*\*\***

**November 1, 2021**

**VPD Report Number:** 21-090983

**Date/Time Occurred:** 11/01/2021 at 2:11 PM

**Type of Incident:** Attempted Murder

**Location:** Mooney Grove Park

**Name of Business (if applicable):**

**Suspect:**

**Age:**

**Arrested:**

1. Rich, Kenneth

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Yes

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**Details:** On 11/01/2021, at 2:11 PM, Officers were dispatched to Mooney Grove Park regarding a stabbing that just occurred. Officers arrived on scene and located a male victim suffering from a stab wound. Officers learned the victim was involved in an argument with another subject at the park. The suspect who was not involved in the original argument approached the victim and stabbed him. The suspect fled the scene prior to officers' arrival. The victim was transported to Kaweah Health Medical Center where he was treated for his injuries and is listed in critical condition. Officers searched the park and located and arrested the suspect without incident. Violent Crimes Detectives and Crime Lab responded to take over the investigation.



**Arresting / Investigating Officer:** Patrol/Violent Crimes/Crime Lab    **Supervisor:** J.Cummings

