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*****NEWS RELEASE*****
July 13, 2022

VPD Report Number: 22-059297

Date/Time Occurred: 7/12/22 11:51 p.m.

Type of Incident: Negligent Discharge of a Firearm (pellet gun) and Vandalism

Location: 1800 block of S. Demaree St.

Name of Business (if applicable):

N/A

Suspect:

Age:

Arrested:

1. Male Juvenile

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Yes

2.

Details: On 7/12/22 at approximately 11:51 p.m., officers responded to the area of Demaree St. and Walnut Ave. for a report of a shooting at a moving vehicle. Dispatch received information that a vehicle had its front driver's side window shot out while traveling southbound on the 1800 block of S. Demaree St. An officer responding to the victim's location also had his patrol vehicle's rear passenger window shot out as he drove past the same location. Additional officers responded and began canvassing the area. The officers determined the shots were coming from a residence in the 1800 block of S. Demaree St. Officers contacted a male juvenile at the residence who was in possession of two pellet guns. The male juvenile was taken into custody and transported to the Tulare County Juvenile Detention Facility. The male juvenile was booked for negligent discharge of a pellet gun and vandalism. There were no injuries as a result of this incident.

Arresting / Investigating Officer: Patrol

Supervisor: Sgt. A. Alvarez

