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PRESS RELEASE

DRIVING WHILE INTOXICATED / POSSESSION OF CON.SUBSTANCE

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ENRIQUE LARA. On Wednesday May 28, 2014, at 4:30 pm. San Benito Police responded to the intersection of Sam Houston and Robertson Street in reference to a traffic collision between 2 vehicles. When the Officers arrived they made contact with a 50 year old female who was driving a green Toyota sedan, and who stated that her vehicle had been struck by a red SUV that had fled the scene south on Sam Houston Boulevard. Eyewitnesses provided the Officers with the license plate of the fleeing vehicle, and a few moments the vehicle and the driver were located on the 200 block of Chapman Street. The driver was identified as 31 year old Enrique Lara out of San Benito was placed under arrest for the hit and run, as well as suspicion of DWI, and was taken to City jail. Once at City Jail Enrique Lara refused a breath test, and was charged with DWI refusal. Suspect was arraigned by Municipal Judge Ben Yudesis who set bonds totaling \$16,000.

OSCAR CARRILLO III. On Friday May 30, 2014, at 02:50 am. San Benito Police responded to a single vehicle collision over by the intersection of South McCoullough and Yost Road. When the Officers arrived they noticed a grey 2011 Dodge pickup truck that had crashed against a drainage ditch, and was stuck. The Police Officers then made contact with the driver who was identified as 29 year old Oscar Carrillo III from San Benito. The Police Officers then asked the driver to step out of the vehicle after noticing signs of impairment due to alcohol consumption. The driver advised the Officers that he had drank about 3 beers, and agreed in taking a field sobriety test. The Police Officers administering the test requested a breath sample from the driver, but Oscar Carrillo refused the breath test. Suspect was then placed under arrest for DWI, and was taken to City Jail for processing. Once at City Jail the Officers discovered that Oscar Carrillo was in possession of 9 Xanax pills that according to the suspect belonged to a family member. Suspect was charged with DWI refusal, Possession of Controlled Substance penalty group 3, and was arraigned by Municipal Judge Ben Yudesis who set bonds totaling \$ 16,000

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