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NEWS RELEASE

Incident Date and Time: Wednesday, May 10, 2017, at approximately 5:36 PM
Location: San Carlos Caltrain Station, 599 El Camino Real, San Carlos
Type of Crimes/Incident: Carjacking,
Suspect Information: Name: Andres Sanchez, 36 year old, San Jose resident
ARRESTED
Charges: 215 PC - Carjacking

SUMMARY:

Wednesday, May 10, 2017, at approximately 5:36 PM, a person called 911 to report that while parked at the San Carlos Caltrain Station, a male subject, later identified as Andres Sanchez, entered his vehicle and was refusing to get out. When Sanchez heard the 911 call, he got out and walked away.

After walking away, Sanchez attempted to open the doors of another car which was driving into the Caltrain parking lot, but was unable to gain access into that car. Sanchez then approached the driver of a third vehicle, and while simulating having a firearm, threatened to kill the driver and demanded he give him a ride. Fearing for his life, the driver got out of his car and Sanchez jumped in and attempted to drive away from the station.

Responding deputies from the San Carlos Police Bureau and Transit Police Bureau arrived on scene as Sanchez was attempting to drive away. Due to the heavy traffic, Sanchez was unable to drive away. Sanchez exited the vehicle and fled on foot, but was immediately caught and arrested by our deputies.

Sanchez was arrested for carjacking and booked into the Maguire Correctional Facility.

The Sheriff's Office would like to remind the public to always be aware of their surroundings and to lock their doors once inside their vehicles.

Anyone with information about this crime is encouraged to call Sheriff's Detective Michael Baron at (650) 622-8053 or MBaron@smcgov.org. Alternatively, you may also remain anonymous by calling the **San Mateo County Sheriff's Anonymous Tip Line at 1-800-547-2700.**

Release Date: May 11, 2017
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