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Press Release

Today's Date: January 13, 2008
Date & Time Occurred: January 13, 2008 0115 hours
Submitted By: Sgt. Denise Quatman
Phone: (707)449-5200
Case Number 08-00396
Type of Crime/Incident: 211 PC; 182 PC; 12031 PC – Armed Robbery w/handgun
Location: 1491 E. Monte Vista Avenue
Suspects: Jason Tolefree BMA 22yrs – Vallejo resident
Damon Bishop BMA 23yrs – Vallejo resident

Narrative:

On 1/13/08 at approximately 0115 hours, the victim (HMA) was approached by S-Tolefree and S-Bishop in the front parking lot of Union 76. The suspects confronted the victim and demanded he hand over any money he had. When the victim told the suspects he did not have any money, one of the suspects brandished a handgun and threatened the victim. The suspect with the handgun then reached into the victim's front pant pocket and removed an undetermined amount of cash. The two suspects then fled to their vehicle that was parked near Taco Bell.

Sgt. Rick Elm was on patrol and observed a vehicle matching the description of the suspect's vehicle. A high-risk car stop was conducted on I-80 near the Davis Street off-ramp. S-Tolefree and S-Bishop were contacted and subsequently arrested for armed robbery, conspiracy, and several additional weapon violations. The weapon was recovered with the assistance of K-9 Turk and his handler Officer Ballard in the bushes located next to I-80.