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Press Release

Today's Date: September 8, 2011
Date & Time Occurred: August 31, 2011
Submitted By: Sgt. Jeff King
Phone: (707) 449-5200
Case Number: 11-05994
Type of Crime/Incident: 211 PC Robbery, 182 PC Conspiracy, 459 PC Burglary and 236 PC false imprisonment
Location: Sunset Drive and Browns Valley Road
Suspects: S-1 Anthony Charles, 18, Vallejo resident
S-2 17-year-old male juvenile, Vallejo
S-3 16-year-old male juvenile, Vallejo

POLICE MAKE ARRESTS IN PURSE SNATCHING/SLASHING INCIDENT

NARRATIVE:

Vacaville police have arrested three (3) individuals in connection with the robbery and slashing of a 52-year-old Vacaville woman last week.

Detectives from the Vacaville Police Department's Investigative Services Section (ISS), the Crime Suppression Team (CST) and the Vallejo Police Department's Crime Suppression Unit (CSU) on Thursday, September 8, 2011, served search warrants at four (4) locations in Vallejo. Several items were seized during the service of these search warrants. Detectives believe that three (3) young men from Vallejo are responsible for the robbery and slashing of the female victim that occurred August 31, 2011 in the Browns Valley neighborhood.

Detectives arrested Anthony Charles, 18, from Vallejo. Detectives also arrested a 17-year-old juvenile and a 16-year-old juvenile on this case. The names of the juveniles will not be released at this time because of their age. Investigators believe that these three (3) acted together and are responsible for this assault. The three (3) are also believed to be responsible for a burglary that occurred on the same date in Vacaville.

The investigation is still ongoing and additional leads are still being followed. The Vacaville Police understand that this type of crime is very upsetting to the community and is doing everything possible to bring this case to a successful conclusion and hold those responsible accountable. Anyone with information about this case is asked to contact the police at (707) 449-5200 or Detective Otha Livingston at (707) 449-5270.

A photo of Anthony Charles has been attached for the media's use.

