



Marina Police Department

MEDIA RELEASE

FOUR ARRESTED IN MARINA FOR FELONY ASSAULT AND RESISTING ARREST

DATE OF INCIDENT: August 14, 2011
TIME OF INCIDENT: 12:47 AM (0047 Hours)
LOCATION OF INCIDENT: 3100-Block of Lake Drive
DEPARTMENT CONTACT: Sergeant Eddie Anderson

On August 14, 2011, approximately 12:47 AM, Marina Officers were dispatched to a report of a verbal altercation involving 25 to 30 people. While police were responding, the anonymous caller advised that the altercation was now physical. Police located one victim with facial injuries. The victim told police she had been attacked by several suspects

A witness to the assault saw the suspects in this investigation enter a nearby apartment. When officers contacted the occupants of this apartment, one of the suspects assaulted two Marina Police Officers. As this suspect continued to be combative with officers, multiple occupants exited the apartment and attempted to stop the officers from arresting their friend. Four adult females were detained.

With the cooperation of the victim and the witness, all four females were identified as suspects in this investigation.

Ashley Fulton (21 years old) was arrested for felony and misdemeanor battery on a peace officer and for resisting arrest.

Lilly Gaitan (22 years old) was arrested for assault with a deadly weapon and for taking a weapon from an officer.

Belinda Lopez (21 years old) was arrested for assault with a deadly weapon and resisting arrest.

Gabriella Gonzalez (21 years old) was arrested for assault with a deadly weapon.

The Marina Police Department would like to thank the Marina citizen that reported this incident, The Monterey County Sheriff's Deputies and the CSUMB Police Officers that quickly responded for assistance.

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