

LEMOORE POLICE DEPARTMENT



PRESS RELEASE

On 11/10/2021 at about 10:03 PM, Lemoore Police Officers were dispatched to the area of Enterprise Dr. and Commerce Way regarding a suspicious van parking in front of various semi trucks. Officers located the van parked in front of a semi truck in the area. Through a side window, Officers saw two 330 gallon tanks inside the van. The two males inside the van pretended to be asleep and initially refused to open the door. The males ultimately complied and they were detained. The males, both out of the Los Angeles area, were identified as 46 year old Adrian Flores Perez and 51 year old Carlos Argueta.

A search of the van led to the discovery that both 330 gallon tanks were full of diesel fuel. There were also an additional, three 55 gallon barrels, inside the van which also contained diesel fuel. The semi truck the van was parked in front of had its fuel tank open. Officers canvased the area and located other semi trucks which had diesel fuel spilled next to their fuel tanks.

Adrian Flores Perez was arrested for grand theft, conspiracy to commit a crime, possession of drug paraphernalia, and a bench warrant. His bail was set at \$76,000.

Carlos Argueta was arrested for grand theft, conspiracy to commit a crime, and possession of drug paraphernalia. His bail was set at \$25,000.

This case is still under investigation. Anyone with information is asked to call the Lemoore Police Department and ask for Officer Corral.

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