

# LEMOORE POLICE DEPARTMENT



## **PRESS RELEASE**

LPD Case #L2502022, L2502099, L2502100

On 07/07/2025 at approximately 7:37PM, Lemoore Police Officers were dispatched to the 900 block of Alpen Drive regarding a shooting into a residence. When officers arrived, they found a residence in the area had been struck by gunfire. The residents of the home were not injured. Surveillance video was collected and turned over to LPD Detectives.

On 07/15/2025 at approximately 11:54PM, Lemoore Police Officers were again dispatched to the 900 block of Alpen Drive regarding a shooting into a residence. Upon arrival they discovered the same residence had been struck by gunfire. As officers were responding, a second shooting was reported in the area of E. Cinnamon Drive and E. Hanford Armona Rd. The victim in this shooting was driving when a suspect(s) fired at him for an unknown reason. A house in the area was also struck with a bullet.

LPD Detectives continued their investigation and through collaboration with Kings County Probation, Kings County Majors Crimes Task Force, and the Kings County DA's office were able to identify one of the suspects in the case as a 17-year-old juvenile male out of Corcoran. Further investigation into that subject led investigators to the second suspect, 20-year-old Marco Hernandez-Tejada, out of Visalia. Warrants were issued for both subjects for multiple counts of attempted homicide and shooting at an inhabited dwelling.

On 07/29/2025 at approximately 07:00AM, the Lemoore Police Department, assisted by the Central Valley Regional SWAT Team served an arrest and search warrant in the 1700 block of Brewer Ave. in Corcoran. The 17-year-old suspect was taken into custody. LPD Detectives assisted by investigators from the Kings County's District Attorneys office and the Visalia Police Department also served an arrest and search warrant in the 5000 block of W. Damsen Ave. in Visalia. Hernandez-Tejada was taken into custody at this location.

Hernandez-Tejada was booked into the Kings County Jail and is being held with no bail. The 17-year-old suspect was booked into the Kings County Juvenile Center and is also being held with no bail.