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PRESS RELEASE

Releasing Officer: Sergeant Charles Gilchrist
Report Number: FG0800711
Date / Time Incident: 06/04/08 – 1645 hours
Location of Incident: Boatyard Shopping Center, Fort Bragg, CA
Crime or Incident: 245 (a) (1) PC Assault with a deadly weapon
Victim: Clinton Doty
Suspect: Unknown

CIRCUMSTANCES: The Fort Bragg Police Department investigated a report of an assault with a deadly weapon at the Boatyard Shopping Center in Fort Bragg. The victim stated several Hispanic male subjects jumped out of a green Honda Accord and assaulted him. One of the suspects got back into the vehicle and ran the victim over with the vehicle. The victim was hit in the legs by the suspect vehicle. After the suspect vehicle hit the victim it continued on and struck a parked vehicle causing significant damage to its rear end. All of the suspects got back into the suspect vehicle and fled south on Hwy 1 away from the scene. The victim denied being injured and stated he didn't require the assistance of medical personnel.

Based on the statements of several witnesses at the scene it was determined that this case is gang related. The victim refused to provide information about the suspects in this case.

The Fort Bragg Police Department would like the assistance of the public in solving this crime. Anyone with information about the case is encouraged to call the Fort Bragg Police Department at 961-2800 or 964-0200.

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