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SUNNYVALE DPS NABS HOME BURGLARY SUSPECT

SUNNYVALE, Calif. – Sunnyvale Department of Public Safety (DPS) officers have arrested a suspect in a string of burglaries and thefts in the southwest portion of the City. Residential neighborhoods in the area of Hollenbeck and Alberta avenues. The suspect illegally entered cars and homes through unlocked doors in the early morning hours, stealing various electronics and other items.

At about 12:40 Wednesday (May 4) morning, Public Safety Officer Tim O’Connell was patrolling the area of Hollenbeck and Alberta avenues, providing security in light of the recent crimes. O’Connell stopped a subject in the 600 block of Alberta Avenue because he was acting suspiciously. The subject resembled a photograph of the suspect in one of the earlier crimes that had been captured by a surveillance camera. On further investigation, property taken in an April 14, 2011, burglary was found in the suspect’s vehicle.

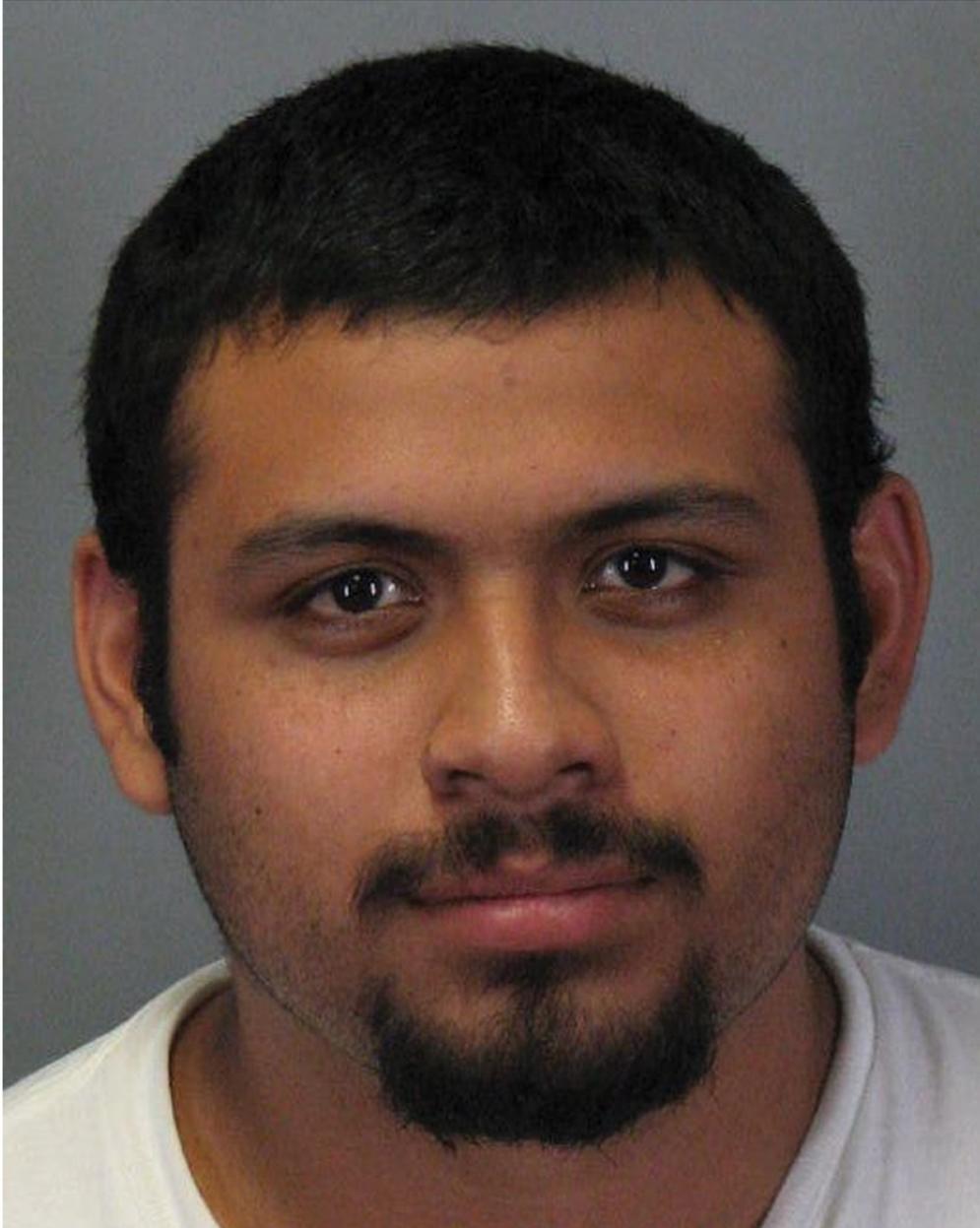
DPS officers arrested 20-year old Andres Martinez-Vergara, a 5-foot, 8-inch, 250-pound Hispanic. The suspected is a Sunnyvale resident and lived in the area where the

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burglaries took place. Martinez-Vergara was arrested on five counts of burglary and four counts of theft. He has been booked into the Santa Clara County Jail.

The investigation into the crimes is ongoing. Anyone with additional information is asked to contact Detective Alan Harnett at (408) 730-7120.

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20 Year Old Male Hispanic, 5' 8" 250 Pounds

Resident: Sunnyvale

Charges: 5 counts burglary, 4 counts theft

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