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Re: Salvador Madrigal Ramos Phone: (209) 525-6909 Attempted Murder Conviction

Modesto, California - Stanislaus County District Attorney Birgit Fladager announced today that Salvador Madrigal Ramos, age 40, of Turlock was convicted on June 23, 2021 by a Stanislaus County Superior Court jury of attempted murder, assault with a deadly weapon, threatening to commit a crime and domestic violence. Deputy District Attorney Dannica Molina prosecuted the case for the People.

On September 25, 2020 at approximately 1:30 p.m., Ramos stabbed Ildefonso Herrera and Jasmine Summerlin after seeing them together in Summerlin's white Mercedes. The victims had been driving through Keyes to drop off a friend when another vehicle began to chase them and forced them to pull over. Once both vehicles were stopped, Ramos exited the vehicle he was riding in, approached the driver side of the Mercedes and repeatedly stabbed Herrera in the arms and left leg. Ramos then approached his girlfriend, Summerlin, threatened to kill her, and stabbed her twice in the temple. Ramos took their car and fled to an apartment complex in Turlock where witnesses saw Ramos and another hispanic male attempting to clean up blood left on the victim's Mercedes.

Police responded and located a bloody knife inside the victim's car. The Department of Justice crime lab tested the knife and identified DNA from victim Herrera and Ramos.

Jury verdicts convicting Ramos of two counts of attempted murder, assault with a deadly weapon, criminal threats and domestic violence were handed down on June 23, 2021 after a 13-day trial before Judge Dawna Reeves.

At the time of this crime, Ramos was out on bail in three possession of controlled substances for sale cases and one case involving evading a peace officer. He is currently in jail awaiting a July 29, 2021 court trial on four out-on-bail enhancements. A sentencing date will be set after that court trial is completed.

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