

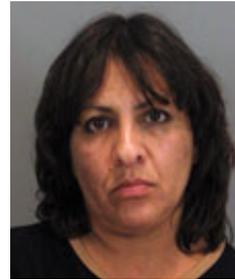


Milpitas Police Department

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PRESS RELEASE

POLICE ARREST HOME BURGLARY SUSPECT



Date: July 3, 2010, Saturday, 8:06 a.m.
Location: 400 Block of Willow Ave., Milpitas
Case: 10-184-060
Suspect: Antoinette Virginia Lopez, 48-year-old female, Milpitas resident
Suspect Vehicle: Isuzu SUV, Gray, spare tire w/ "Anderson" printed on the cover

On July 3, 2010 (Saturday), at approx. 8:06 a.m., a residential burglary was reported in the 400 Bk. of Willow Avenue. The owners of a residence returned to their home and noticed several items had been moved and property missing. Police officers canvassed the neighborhood and located a witness who gave a description of a vehicle, which was seen in the area during the time of the burglary.

An officer located a matching vehicle parked in the neighborhood and upon further inspection noticed property in the car which matched the stolen property from the residence. The owner of the car, Lopez, was contacted by officers. When officers attempted to take her into custody for the burglary she resisted arrest. Lopez was found to be in possession of methamphetamine. Several pieces of property taken in the burglary were located and returned to the victim. Lopez was booked into the Santa Clara County Jail for burglary, resisting arrest and possession of a controlled substance.

Anyone with any information regarding this case or other similar incidents is encouraged to call the Milpitas Police Department at (408) 586-2400 or the law enforcement jurisdiction where the incident occurred. Information can be given anonymously by calling (408) 586-2500 or via the Milpitas Police Department website at:

http://www.ci.milpitas.ca.gov/government/police/crime_tip.asp

By: Sergeant Daryl Sequeira
Date: July 6, 2010, 11:48 a.m.