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**PRESS RELEASE**

**BURGLARY SUSPECTS ARRESTED**

**DATE:** May 17, 2013  
**LOCATION:** 2200 Block of Seacliff Drive  
**CASE #:** 13-137-071  
**SUSPECT #1:** Finot Tecele, 21 year-old male, Seattle, Washington resident  
**SUSPECT #2:** Salvador Rodriguez-Bravo, 21 year-old male, Seattle, Washington resident

On May 17, 2013, at about 11:45 a.m., an alert citizen reported suspicious persons on Seacliff Drive. As officers arrived, 2 suspects got into a vehicle and drove southbound into San Jose. They collided into a parked vehicle on Madrid Drive, exited the vehicle, and fled on foot back into the southeast area of Milpitas. Officers from the San Jose Police Department, including 3 canine teams, responded and assisted by quickly establishing a perimeter. One suspect was quickly taken into custody. Investigating officers soon discovered the suspects had stolen the vehicle from a residential burglary they had committed earlier in the northeast area of Milpitas on Ann Place.

After a 4-hour search, the second suspect jumped over a fence onto Yellowstone Avenue, fled from officers on foot, and was apprehended without incident.

As a precautionary measure, the Milpitas Unified School District initiated a shelter-in-place at Rancho Middle School and Sinnott Elementary. Traffic was diverted on Yellowstone Avenue at Rocky Mountain Avenue and on Yellowstone Avenue at Sequoia Drive, during the investigation.

Finot Tecele was booked into the Santa Clara County Jail for auto theft, residential burglary, conspiracy, resisting arrest and hit and run. Salvador Rodriguez-Bravo was booked into the Santa Clara County Jail for auto theft, residential burglary, conspiracy and resisting arrest.

Anyone with any information regarding this investigation or other similar incidents occurring in our city is encouraged to call the Milpitas Police Department at (408) 586-2400. The Milpitas Police Department encourages you to immediately call the police department to report suspicious activity in your neighborhood. Information can be given anonymously by calling the Crime Tip Hotline at (408) 586-2500 or via the Milpitas Police Department website at:



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Press Release By: Lt. Sandy Holliday #154

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**SUSPECT #1:** Finot Teclé



**SUSPECT #2:** Salvador Rodríguez-Bravo