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# Shoplifting Incident Ends With Woman Arrested for Robbery

**Date/Time:** 04/09/2023 @ 10:59 A.M.

**Location:** 700 N. Zaragoza (O'Reilly's Auto Parts)

**Arrested:** Yolanda Cadena GOMEZ, 45-year-old, Mission Valley El Paso Resident

**El Paso, Texas** – A woman was arrested for Robbery after a shoplifting incident ended in a struggle. At 10:59 A.M., El Paso Police Officers responded to a robbery at the O'Reilly's Auto Parts store at 700 N. Zaragoza. The Officers found that 45 year-old Yolanda Cadena Gomez had shoplifted drill bits and another tool. The incident began after Gomez walked into the business and was going through the aisles. An employee at the store eventually asked her to leave after becoming confrontational. As Gomez was walking out, she grabbed another tool, and dropped it outside of the store. The employee began trying to close the door to prevent Gomez from going back inside. That is when Gomez hit the employee. The employee was not injured in the assault, and the stolen property was returned. Officers discovered that Gomez was in possession of Fentanyl and Methamphetamine. She was arrested and charged with Robbery (3rd Degree Felony), Possession of a Controlled Substance Fentanyl Under 4 Grams (3rd Degree Felony), and Possession of a Controlled Substance Methamphetamine Under 1 Gram (State Jail Felony). Judge Nunez issued a total bond of \$20,000. She was booked into the El Paso County Detention facility.

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