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NEWS RELEASE

Gang Suppression Team Charge and Mission Valley Tactical Unit Charge Man in Saturday Morning Case

Date & Time: Saturday, March 18, 2017 @ 12:02 a.m.
Location: 1025 N. Carolina (Big 8 parking lot)
Arrested: 24-year old Aaron MARTINEZ of El Paso, TX

EL PASO, TEXAS: The El Paso Police Department's Gang Suppression Unit and the Mission Valley Regional Command Center's Tactical unit have arrested and charged Mission Valley man with numerous charges, early Saturday morning. The investigation revealed that 24-year old Aaron MARTINEZ was in the parking lot of the Big 8 when he entered a white Ford truck that was not his. A Gang Suppression Unit approached MARTINEZ as he walked away from the vehicle. The officers told MARTINEZ to stop, he refused, and fled from the officers. MARTINEZ was taken into custody after a brief foot pursuit and charged with Criminal Trespass and Evading Arrest or Detention/with Previous Conviction. Additionally, MARTINEZ was found to be in Possession of Marihuana less than 2 ounces. MARTINEZ was booked into the El Paso County Jail on all three charges with bonds totaling \$1,800.00.

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