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Code Compliance Officer Attacked

Date: March 12, 2014

Crime: PC 664/187 – Attempt Homicide

Time: 1241 hours

Suspect: Henry Guarneros, 66 years, Colton CA

Location: 1200 block of N. Holly St., Colton CA

Victim: Jane Doe

Case: 14- 01270

Summary:

On March 12th, 2014, at approximately 1241 hours, a Code Compliance Officer was in the 1200 block of North Holly Street conducting a residential inspection for code violations. The officer was speaking with an occupant (Henry Guarneros) about the violations. The occupant, in an unprovoked attack, started to assault the officer. The officer was able to put out an emergency broadcast for assistance while trying to defend herself. Two residents heard the commotion and attempted to pull Guarneros off of the officer. Responding units arrived and saw Guarneros lying in the middle of the street next to his residence. The Code Compliance Officer was located at her vehicle and immediately transported to a nearby hospital by a detective and probation officer. Guarneros continued to be resistive and struggled with officers until he was handcuffed and detained. The Code Compliance officer is currently in stable condition and being treated for her injuries. The investigation is continuing.

If anyone has any information regarding this investigation please contact Detective J. Morenberg at (909) 370-5000.

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