



McAllen Police Department

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Update:

January 10, 2025

McAllen Police Investigators continue to investigate a report of damage to a private parking area by use of vehicles. This investigation was prompted by acts committed on December 29, 2024 at a business on the 4400 block of Wanda Avenue, McAllen, Texas.

Gael Hernandez, Ronald George Martinez Jr., and Jared Rodriguez are arrested in this investigation and each are charged with Reckless Driving, a Class "B" Misdemeanor. Additional arrests and charges may be forthcoming.



Gael Hernandez



Ronald George Martinez Jr.



Jared Rodriguez

Arrest Summary:

Name: Gael Hernandez

Age: 19

Last known address: Alton, Texas.

Arrest Date: January 6, 2025

Charges: Reckless Driving

Arraignment Date: January 6, 2025

Bond: \$2,000 PR

Name: Ronald George Martinez Jr.

Age: 18

Last known address: Hidalgo, Texas.

Arrest Date: January 8, 2025

Charges: Reckless Driving

Arraignment Date: January 8, 2025

Bond: \$2,000 PR

Name: Jared Rodriguez
Age: 19
Last known address: Pharr, Texas.
Arrest Date: January 9, 2025
Charges: Reckless Driving
Arraignment Date: January 9, 2025
Bond: \$1,500

Anyone with information about the crime is urged to call McAllen Crime Stoppers at **956-687-TIPS (956-687-8477)**. Information that leads to an arrest may be eligible for a cash reward. Tips may also be submitted anonymously through the smart phone app “**P3 Tips**.”

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Previous Arrest:

Jason Uriel Bucio, age 20, is identified in the investigation of a firearm being displayed during a social gathering. The gathering involved multiple vehicles and individuals, occurring during the late hours of December 29, 2024. Jason Bucio was arrested on January 2, 2024. A magistrate of the McAllen Municipal Court determined there is probable cause to charge Jason Bucio with Disorderly Conduct by Display of a Firearm, a Class “B” Misdemeanor.

Jason Bucio was subsequently found to be suspect to a separate incident related to a “reckless driving” call on November 19, 2024. The charge indicates Jason Bucio operated a vehicle in a reckless manner, causing the vehicle to crash and roll over several times on that date. Jason Bucio was also charged with Reckless Driving, a Class “B” Misdemeanor.

Bucio received a \$1,000 bond for Disorderly Conduct and a \$2,000 bond for Reckless Driving.

Previously release: (January 2, 2025)

Police Seek Person of Interest in Criminal Mischief and Discharge of a Firearm



The McAllen Police Department is asking for the public’s assistance in locating and identifying a person of interest in a Criminal Mischief and Discharge of a Firearm investigation.

Individuals are reported to have damaged a private parking lot by use of vehicles and fireworks at a business located on the 4400 block of Wanda Avenue, McAllen, TX, on December 29, 2024. One of these individuals was seen holding firearms during this incident. The person in the image is a person of interest in this investigation. If you know the identity of the person of interest or where he may be located, you are urged to call McAllen Crime Stoppers at **956-687-8477**.

Anyone with information about the crime or of the person of interest is urged to call McAllen Crime Stoppers at **956-687-TIPS (956-687-8477)**. Information that leads to an arrest may be eligible for a cash reward. Tips may also be submitted anonymously through the smart phone app "**P3 Tips**."

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