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# PRESS RELEASE

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## Man Arrested for Negligent Discharge of a Firearm in Patterson, CA

**Patterson, CA** – At 9:20 AM sheriff's deputies assigned to Patterson Police Services responded to 100 Block of 7th St in Patterson, CA for a subject shooting a gun. The address was directly across the street from Patterson High School. Campus security was stopped by a resident who pointed out a house they believed the gunshots were coming from. All area schools were placed on lock down by the School Resource Officer assigned to Patterson High School.

When deputies arrived they located 46 y/o Jose Gutierrez of Paterson and detained him. Through the investigation by the School Resource Officer, Gutierrez was arrested for a felon in possession of a firearm and ammunition. He was also arrested for negligent discharge of a firearm. Gutierrez fired multiple shots on his property, but there is no indication he fired toward any buildings. There were no victims or other suspects in this incident.

Anyone with information about this case can contact the Stanislaus County Sheriff's Office at 209-525-7114. Callers can also leave an anonymous tip by calling Crime Stoppers at (209) 521-4636.

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