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MEDIA RELEASE

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Release #1:

On Saturday, September 5, 2009 at approximately 8:54 p.m. officers of the Garden City Police Department investigated a reported robbery that occurred in the 4100 block of East Highway 50, Garden City, KS.

The preliminary investigation determined Alfredo Aponte (39-years-old, of 205 Spencer Street Apartment C, Garden City, KS) and Daniel Alvarez (34-years-old, of 212 Washington Street, Garden City, KS) were both at a gathering at 4101 East Highway 50, Lot 498. During the course of the evening, Alvarez allegedly noticed a necklace Aponte was wearing and requested it from him. Aponte refused and Alvarez allegedly hit him several times, pulled the necklace from his neck and left the residence. While officers were investigating the incident, another officer located Alvarez in the 200 block of Washington Street. Alvarez was found to be in possession of the necklace and was arrested. He was lodged in the Finney County Jail on Allegations of aggravated robbery and aggravated battery. EMS responded to the scene and treated Aponte for a ½ inch laceration to his forehead. The necklace was valued at \$500.00.

Release #2:

On Sunday, September 6, 2009 officers of the Garden City Police Department conducted a sobriety check lane in the 500 block of West Mary Street, Garden City, KS from 1:00 a.m. until 3:00 a.m.

A total of 59 vehicles were stopped during the check lane with fifteen (15) drivers evaluated for driving under the influence. The following arrests were made:

- Hipolito Marquez-Dominguez (33-years-old of 4101 East Highway 50 Lot 331, Garden City, KS) was cited and released for transportation of an open container.
- Hector Burillo (15-years-old, of 1702 Diane Street, Garden City, KS) was cited and released for curfew.
- Adrian Perkins (32-years-old, of 913 ½ North Second Street, Garden City, KS) was arrested and lodged in the Finney County Jail on allegations of DUI and driving while suspended.
- Fredrick Brown (41-years-old, of Amarillo, TX) was arrested and lodged in the Finney County Jail on an allegation of second offense driving while suspended. He was stopped for attempting to avoid the check lane.
- Sean Nanthavong (26-years-old, of 532 Garden Street, Garden City, KS) was arrested and lodged in the Finney County Jail on an allegation of DUI.
- Soterios Huber (54-years-old, of 2504 Lamplighter Lane, Garden City, KS) was arrested and lodged on an allegation of DUI.

- Two additional individuals received citations for failing to stop for or attempting to avoid the check lane.

The cost of conducting the check lane was supported through a grant provided by the Kansas Department of Transportation.

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