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Fire a Shot, Get Caught!

Glendale, Ariz. – As New Year’s Eve approaches, we often see and hear a common and potentially deadly problem, gun fire. Too many people celebrate the new year with random gun fire.

The Glendale Police Department and the City of Glendale are committed to a zero-tolerance policy when it comes to unlawful discharges of a firearm. If caught, you will face felony charges, and punishable by more than five years in prison.

To help combat this problem, the Glendale Police Department utilizes ShotSpotter. What is ShotSpotter? It is a resource that can be used by police to pinpoint the exact location where a gun has been fired. The Glendale Police use ShotSpotter 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, and 365 days a year. Having a safe and enjoyable holiday is our primary concern for the public, which is why we send officers to check each ShotSpotter activation that indicates a firearm was used. Fire a shot? You’re gonna get caught!

Each year officers and detectives from the Glendale Police Department walk door to door to educate the public about the issues of celebratory gunfire. Detectives and officers will be partnering with the





Glendale Boys and Girls Club Swift Kids Branch as their command central on the morning of Thursday, December 27, 2018, to help spread the word within our community.

Please celebrate safely and do not endanger your community by firing off a gun in celebration of the holiday. Random gun fire can hurt, mame, or even kill a neighbor, family member, or friend.

**Spanish translation available*

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<p>español ▶</p> <p>Fire A Shot?...</p>	<p>english ▶</p> <p>¿Disparó Un Balazo?</p>
<p>You're Gonna Get <u>CAUGHT!</u></p>  <p>Shot Spotter <i>Gunshot location alert for 911</i></p> <p>Shot Spotter pinpoints the exact address, where a gun shot has been fired 24-hours a day, 7-days a week.</p> <p> Random gun fire is against the law and punishable by more than five years in prison.</p>	<p>Lo van a <u>AGARRAR</u></p>  <p>Shot Spotter <i>Gunshot location alert for 911</i></p> <p>Shot Spotter, apunta a la ubicación exacta de la dirección, donde se disparó un arma de fuego las 24 horas al día, 7 días a la semana.</p> <p> El disparo casual de un arma de fuego es contra la ley y se castiga con cinco años en la prisión.</p>

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