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Glendale Police Arrest Two Suspects from Early Morning Home Invasion

GLENDALE, Ariz. – Just before 7am this morning, Glendale Police Officers responded to a burglary alarm call at a residence in the 7000 block of W. Phelps Road. Upon arrival, Glendale Police made contact with a male victim who told police several suspects had entered his home, restrained and assaulted him while attempting to take property. The home was occupied by the victim's wife, his young infant child, another female adult relative and her infant child. The female relative and two children were still inside the home when the victim contacted police outside the home. As the male victim was providing information to police, he saw and pointed out one of the suspects getting into a 4-door red sedan. The suspect fled the scene in the red sedan and was not located. The Glendale Police Department immediately utilized all tools available to us, safely removed the victims from the home, and established a perimeter to search for the outstanding suspects. Two suspects were taken into custody and positively identified a short time later in a wash north of the residence near the 5900 block of Union Hills Drive.

Violent Crimes Detectives working the case have established probable cause for the arrests of the two suspects located in the wash. 24 year old Phoenix resident, Antonio Yanez and 44 year old Phoenix resident, Arthur Meeds are being charged with Armed Robbery and will be booked into the 4th Avenue Jail.

The outstanding suspect who fled in the 4-door red sedan has not been located or positively identified. He is described as mixed race male, possibly black or Hispanic, approximately 5'7" to 5'8" tall, with a heavy set build, afro hair style and light beard. Detectives believe there may be a second outstanding suspect that fled the area on foot. He is described as a black male, approximately 5'8" to 6'0" tall, with a slim, muscular build.

Glendale Police Detectives are still actively working this case, conducting interviews, processing the scene and following up on all leads. Detectives are seeking the community's help identifying the outstanding suspect(s). The Glendale Police Department encourages anyone that has information on this case and/or the identity of these two individuals to please call Glendale Police at 623-930-3000 or Silent Witness at 480-Witness.

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