



Porterville Police Department Updated Press Release

Incident: Kidnapping

Date/Time: December 29, 2011, 7:24 PM

Location: 900 block of N. Cottage Street, Porterville

Summary:

On December 29, 2011, Porterville Police Officers responded to a reported kidnapping that occurred in the 900 block of N. Cottage Street. The kidnapping suspect has been identified as 28-year-old Gary Gahart of Porterville. Gahart has also been identified as suspect involved in the officer involved shooting involving the Tulare Police Department. The Porterville Police Department continues to investigate the kidnapping portion of this incident.