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PRESS RELEASE

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Aggravated Assault

Location of Incident: West 5th Street & South May Avenue – Yuma, AZ

On Monday, May 29, 2017, at approximately 2:25 p.m., the Yuma County Sheriff's Office responded to area of West 5th Street and South May Avenue in reference to a shooting.

Upon arrival, Deputies spoke to the victim who reported that the suspects drove up to him and asked his gang affiliation. The suspects exited vehicle and when they did, a pistol fell to the ground. The victim stated that he fled running from the area but not before the suspects struck him with their vehicle. The victim was able to get up and continued to run, at which time the suspects then fired two shots in the victim's direction.

The suspects, described as three Hispanic males with their faces covered, fled in a gray or silver 2-door vehicle with no front bumper.

The victim was transported to the Yuma Regional Medical Center for non life threatening injuries.

The YCSO Criminal Investigation Bureau was requested and assumed the investigation.

This case remains under investigation. Anyone with any information concerning this investigation is asked to contact the Yuma County Sheriff's Office at (928) 783-4427 or 78-CRIME to remain anonymous. You can also visit our website at www.yumacountysheriff.org to submit an anonymous tip.

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