

Sheriff of Yuma County

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## Level 2 Sex Offender Notification **Gregorio Hernandez**

New Address: 941 S. Eleanor Avenue, #27 - Yuma, AZ 85364

The Yuma County Sheriff's Office (YCSO) is releasing the following information pursuant to A.R.S. 13-3825, the Community Notification on Sex Offenders Law. The offender in this publication is living within Yuma County. It is the responsibility of the Chief Law Enforcement Office having jurisdiction where the offender resides to make notifications to the community. Notification must be made when certain sex offenders are released from the Arizona State Prison, accepted under an interstate compact or released from the county jail back into the community. Offenders are categorized into three levels: Level One (low risk to the community),

Level Two (intermediate risk to the community), and Level Three (high risk to the

community).

The individual who appears on this notification, Gregorio Hernandez, 35, has been convicted of a sex offense that allows for community notification. Gregorio Hernandez has advised the YCSO that he is residing at 941 S. Eleanor Avenue, #27 in Yuma, Arizona. He is described as 5 feet 7 inches tall, 193 pounds, with black hair and brown eyes. He is not wanted by the Yuma County Sheriff's Office at this time.

On February 20, 2008, Hernandez was convicted of four counts of Carnal Knowledge, four counts of Public Indecency, and one count of Incest in the Cocopah Indian Tribal Court in Somerton, Arizona. He was sentenced to serve 54 months at the Yuma County Detention Center, with credit for 94 days served prior to sentencing. His victim was a female juvenile known to him.

On September 29, 2021, Hernandez pleaded guilty to one count of Failure to Confirm Identity in the Yuma County Superior Court. He was sentenced to 24 months of supervised probation.

On October 31, 2023, Hernandez pleaded guilty to one count of Person Required to Register as a Sex Offender in the Yuma County Superior Court. He was sentenced to serve 1 year at the Arizona Department of Corrections, with credit for 44 days served prior to sentencing.

Gregorio Hernandez is considered a Level 2 sex offender with an intermediate risk to reoffend.



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Gregorio Hernandez

Height: 5'7" Weight: 193 lbs Hair: Black Eyes: Brown

This notification is not intended to increase fear; rather, it is our belief that an informed community is a safer community. The YCSO has no legal authority to direct where a sex offender may or may not live. Unless court ordered restrictions exist, this offender is constitutionally free to live wherever he/she chooses. Citizen abuses of this information to threaten, intimidate, or harass sex offenders will not be tolerated. Sex Offenders have always lived in our communities; but because of Megan's law, law enforcement is now able to share this information with you.

The YCSO would like to remind the public of the registered sex offender and community notification program Offender Watch. To register for free email alerts or search for sex offenders in your area, please visit the YCSO OffenderWatch page.

If you have information regarding current criminal activity on this or any other offender, please call the Yuma County Sheriff's Office at (928) 783-4427.

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