

HARLINGEN POLICE DEPARTMENT

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Homicide (UPDATE)



Jose Baldemar Gonzales
Age 66
Harlingen Resident

On Thursday, June 10th, 2021 at approximately 4:00 P.M., Harlingen Police Officers responded to an apartment complex on the 1500 block of North Commerce Street in reference to a shooting. Upon arrival, Officers observed a 56-year-old male identified as Pablo Vuittonet lying on the ground with a gunshot wound to his chest. Vuittonet was transported by Harlingen Emergency Medical Services to a local hospital, where shortly after arrival to the hospital he passed away.

During the course of the investigation, Officers detained 66-year-old Jose Baldemar Gonzales at the same location and placed him under arrest. Gonzales was transported to the Harlingen city jail. Gonzales was arraigned on a First-Degree Murder charge and was given a One Million-dollar Bond.

The Harlingen Police Department reminds citizens to report any suspicious activity to their local police department. In Harlingen, you can contact us for Emergencies at (911) or the Police Communications Center at (956) 216-5940, the H.P.D. Front Desk Supervisor at (956)216-5401, or the Harlingen Area Crime Stoppers at (956)425-TIPS (8477). Note * Arrestees are innocent until proven guilty in a Court of Law...



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