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### Arrest Made Following Stabbing Incident

**November 8, 2008** – At approximately 2:53pm today Officers from the Jupiter Police Department responded to the 700-block of Southview Drive in reference to a stabbing.

A witness called 911 and advised that his friend, Mingo Belasco (w/m 08/31/1975), had just been stabbed after being involved in an argument with another subject. Officers discovered Belasco with a stab wound to the neck. The witness was able to provide a description of the subject who had fled the scene. Belasco was transported to Jupiter Medical Center and later transported by air to St. Mary's Hospital in serious-but-stable condition.

Officer's located a subject in the 1600-block of Center street who matched the description given by witness. The subject, Carlos Hernandez (w/m 01/10/1979), was taken into custody at 3:39pm and booked into the Palm Beach County Jail. He is being charged with attempted second degree homicide.

Anyone with information regarding this investigation is asked to contact Detective Lindsey Canonico at 561-746-6201.

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