



TROY POLICE DEPARTMENT

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Troy Police make Home Invasion arrests

Troy, MI - On February 8, 2023, Troy Police officers were dispatched to the 3000 block of Newgate for reported suspicious persons walking in a resident's backyard. The concerned resident reported subjects knocking on his neighbor's door and peeking through the windows before walking around to the rear of the home. Prior to officer's arrival the subjects fled in a vehicle. The neighbor provided our call-taker a detailed description of the fleeing vehicle, which officers located and stopped along I-75 south of the Big Beaver Rd entrance ramp.

Officers investigated the targeted home on Newgate and located pry marks along the rear sliding door and door frame. The attacked door frame was damaged and bent. The concerned neighbor provided officers a description of the subjects in the area and explained that one male was wearing a yellow safety vest; while another male was carrying a ladder.

Officers conducted a traffic stop on a black Kia Sorento with a California license plate; occupied by four subjects. During the traffic stop investigation, officers located a yellow safety vest on the rear floorboard along with the ladder.

All four subjects were arrested and charged with Home Invasion. While conducting a search warrant of the vehicle, investigators located numerous jewelry items packaged and hidden under the center console and engine compartments. Further investigation revealed that recovered items were originally stolen from a Home Invasion that occurred in Missouri earlier this month.

Oakland County Prosecutor Office charged Yohona Ortiz, Geiler Orobio-Cabezas, Cesar Aldana-Velasquez, Madeleyne Leon-Gutierrez for Conspiracy to Commit Home Invasion – 2nd Degree, Attempt Home Invasion – 2nd Degree, and Receiving & Concealing Stolen Property greater than \$20,000.

All four were arraigned on the multiple felony charges on February 10, 2023, in 52-4 District Court. Ortiz (\$500,000 bond), Orobio-Cabezas (\$800,000 bond), Aldana-Velasquez (\$900,000 bond), and Leon-Gutierrez (\$500,000 bond).

The Troy Police Department would like to recognize our officers for their quick response in this case in locating the fleeing vehicle. Investigators were able to connect these arrests to a multi-state crime spree. We also would like to praise the instinctive neighbor for recognizing a crime was occurring, notifying Troy Police immediately, and providing detailed information. We ask our residents to continue to be vigilant; when you see something, say something.

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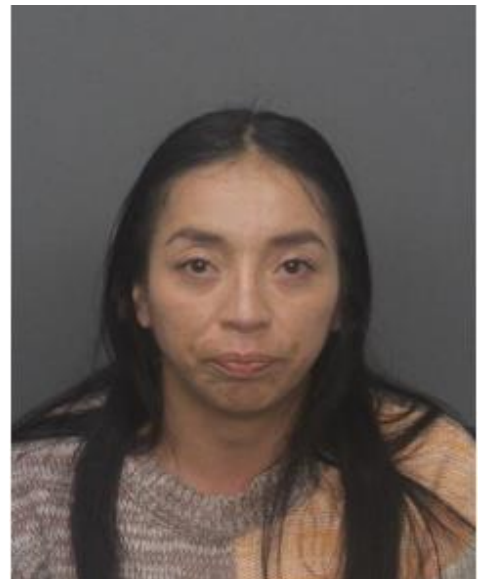
Yohona Ortiz
Date of Birth: 01/27/1991



Geiler Orobio-Cabezas
Date of Birth: 04/19/1985



Cesar Aldana-Velasquez
Date of Birth: 03/19/1987



Madeleyne Leon-Gutierrez
Date of Birth: 04/25/1986