



## ROCKFORD POLICE DEPARTMENT

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# INFORMATION RELEASE

**DATE & TIME**      09/06/13 5:26 PM

**Bureau:**              Investigative Services Bureau

**Authorized Supervisor:**    Lt. Marc Welsh

**Phone:**                (815)967-6976

**Incident:**              Shooting incident

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### MESSAGE

On August 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2013 shortly after 7:00 PM, Rockford Police Officers responded to 3207 Westgate Parkway in reference to a shooting incident. Upon arrival, officers located the shooting victim who was a 25 year old male. The victim was shot one time in the upper back. The victim was transported by Rockford Fire Department personnel to a local hospital where he was treated.

Rockford Police Detectives conducted follow up investigation into the incident. The facts of the investigation were reviewed by the Winnebago County State's Attorney's Office. The following charges were authorized:

**Daniel Ibarra-Cornado, 21 years of age, Rockford, Illinois**  
**Attempted Armed Robbery**  
**Aggravated Battery with a Firearm**

**Miguel Cantu, 20 years of age, Rockford, Illinois**  
**Attempted Armed Robbery**  
**Aggravated Battery with a Firearm**

Rockford Police Detectives obtained arrest warrants for both Ibarra-Cornado and Cantu.

Anyone with information regarding the whereabouts of Ibarra-Cornado or Cantu are encouraged to contact the Rockford Police shift commander at (815)987-5824 or CrimeStoppers at (815)963-7867.

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The charges against Ibarra-Cornado and Cantu are merely accusations. They are presumed innocent until proven guilty in a court of law.

Photographs of Ibarra-Cornado and Cantu are attached to this media release.

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