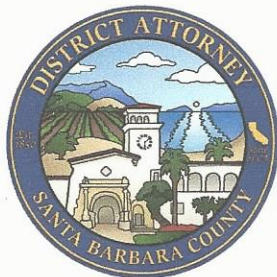


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Re: *People v. Jose Guadalupe Gutierrez and James Joshua Taylor*

Santa Barbara County District Attorney Joyce E. Dudley announced today that charges have been filed against Jose Guadalupe Gutierrez and James Joshua Taylor in connection with a shooting inside an apartment in Isla Vista on May 11, 2015. The charges are as follows: two counts of attempted murder, one count of attempted robbery, one count of first degree burglary, and one count of assault with the personal use of a deadly weapon. The special allegations filed included the personal use of a firearm and that the crimes were committed for the benefit, in association with, or at the direction of a criminal street gang.

Arraignment for the two men has not yet been scheduled by the Santa Barbara Superior Court.

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