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Mucky Duck Shooting Update: GONZALEZ in Custody

At approximately 4:00 P.M. Monterey Police were advised that ALEJANDRO GONZALEZ had turned himself in to the San Jose Police Department in reference to this case. GONZALEZ, the suspect identified in the New Year's Day shooting outside the Mucky Duck, was accompanied by an attorney and family members when he turned himself in.

Monterey Police Detectives drove to San Jose, took custody of GONZALEZ, and returned to Monterey. GONZALEZ was booked into the Monterey City Jail on 3 counts of attempted murder and one count each of being a felon in possession of a firearm and a gang enhancement. Bail was set at $3 million. GONZALEZ was transferred to the Monterey County Jail last evening.

Monterey Police Chief Tim Shelby stated, "I am very proud of the efforts of Monterey Police Department personnel working in cooperation with a number of local law enforcement agencies to identify and apprehend GONZALEZ. Our job is to ensure that criminals are brought to justice and that our communities are safe for the law abiding public."

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