

# Merced Police Department **PRESS RELEASE**

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## For Immediate Release

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Date and Time: June 12, 2019 @ 12:29 a.m.  
Location: Confidential Address near 12<sup>th</sup> and "T" Streets  
Incident: Rape (261(a) (2) PC  
Suspect: Angelo Powers (33 years of age)  
Case Numbers: 19-34501

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On June 12, 2019 Offices responded to a confidential address near 12<sup>th</sup> and "T" streets for a report of a rape that had just occurred. The female confidential victim was able to take a photo of the suspect as he was leaving her residence. Investigators were able to identify a possible suspect. Detective Sam Sannadan obtained a warrant for a DNA sample on the suspect. The DNA samples collected from the victim matched the suspects DNA. On July 22, 2019 Detective Sannadan was able to obtain an arrest warrant for Angelo Powers. On July 23, 2019 Officer Elliot was patrolling his assigned area and located Powers in the 1300 Block of W. 18<sup>th</sup> Street. Powers was arrested for the warrant and will be booked pending a medical clearance.



Angelo Powers 8/29/85

Merced Police are asking anyone with any information regarding this incident to contact Detective Sannadan at (209) 388-7773, or the Merced Police Department Tipster Line at (209) 385-7826. The public can send information via anonymous text messages to police department by dialing "TIP411" (847411) and including the word "Comvip" as the "keyword" in the text message.

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