



# WASHINGTON COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE

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### Deputies Rescue Fleeing Fugitive from Exposure

December 13, 2016 — This morning at 9:43 am, Washington County Sheriff's Deputies conducted a traffic stop in the area of The Reserve Golf Course. The passenger of the vehicle ran from deputies when they attempted to make contact. Julian Villalobos-Chavez (see inset October 2016 booking photo) ran onto The Reserve Golf Course property and through a chest-deep creek. Deputies were able to follow to the bank of the creek and locate him hiding in thick brush on the other side.

Due to the cold weather and the fact that Mr. Villalobos-Chavez had swam through the creek, he quickly began to experience symptoms of hypothermia. Tualatin Valley Fire and Rescue units, along with help from Sheriff's deputies, were able to rescue Mr. Villalobos-Chavez from the thick brush (see below photos).



It was discovered after the rescue and recovery of Mr. Villalobos-Chavez that he had multiple felony warrants outstanding for his arrest. Mr. Villalobos-Chavez was transported to Tuality hospital for care and then lodged in the Washington County Jail. The incident from the initial contact to the rescue of Mr. Villalobos-Chavez took an hour.

