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## West Sacramento Suspects Charged for Gang Assault of Two Juveniles

(Woodland, CA) – April 16, 2010 – Yolo County District Attorney Jeff Reisig announced that on April 15, 2010, his office filed a Criminal Complaint alleging that nine named defendants attacked two juveniles in the Memorial Park area of West Sacramento on March 19, 2010. The Complaint also alleges that the defendants engaged in criminal street gang activity. According to the Complaint, the juvenile victims were kicked and punched as they lay on the ground, and were attacked with weapons including a knife and a hammer. Additionally, the victims were attacked by a pit bull dog. The Complaint also alleges the defendants taunted the victims by announcing that the victims were being beaten by "BRK," and not to mess with Broderick. A tenth defendant is also charged with engaging in threatening behavior towards the victims in the days following the assault.

The defendants are scheduled to be arraigned by the Honorable Janene Beronio on April 20, 2010 at 1:30 p.m. in Department 9 of the Yolo County Superior Court. At that time, Judge Beronio will formally advise them of the charges, the defendants may enter pleas, and the case will be set for preliminary hearing.

A number of suspects involved in the assault have not yet been identified. Individuals with information regarding this incident should contact the West Sacramento Police Department at 916-617-4747.

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