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## PRESS RELEASE

### FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

### YOLO COURT ISSUES GANG INJUNCTION

On May 23, 2008, Department 1 of the Yolo County Superior Court, Judge Kathleen White granted the District Attorney's request for a preliminary injunction against the Broderick Boys Criminal Street Gang. The injunction was issued after a hearing lasting several days. The Broderick Boys were represented by some of the most prominent defense attorneys in the region.

The injunction prohibits, among other things, gang members from associating with one another, intimidating victims of crime, possessing weapons, drugs, or alcohol in public, and defacing public or private property, within a proscribed three square mile "Safety Zone" located in the city of West Sacramento. The "Safety Zone" is bounded by Harbor Boulevard to the west, the Sacramento River to the north and east, but not including the area previously known as the Lighthouse Marina and Golf Course, and by Highway 50, Business Loop 80 and State Route 275 to the south.

The injunction goes into immediate effect and will be enforceable pending a full trial on the merits of the case.

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## **PRESS RELEASE**

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### **CARJACKERS' CRIME SPREE RESULTS IN 25 YEARS PRISON**

Woodland, CA – December 7, 2007 – On Thursday, a Yolo County judge sentenced Carlos Cisneros (19) and Herman Robinson (19) each to twenty-five years in state prison for their roles in a crime spree that spanned West Sacramento, Woodland, Dunnigan and Davis on March 20 –21, 2007. The spree began with a car jacking in West Sacramento where the victim was confronted at gunpoint and his vehicle was taken. The defendants attempted to steal a second vehicle in Woodland. Shots were fired at the victim when the victim was fleeing. The defendants then went to the town of Dunnigan where they robbed a truck stop at gunpoint before continuing on to Davis where they robbed the Circle K in a similar manner.

On August 17, 2007, Carlos Cisneros pled guilty to car jacking with an enhancement for using a firearm, second degree robbery with enhancements of using a firearm and committing the crime for the benefit of a criminal street gang, an additional second degree robbery and, from a separate case, a first degree residential burglary.

On the same date, Herman Robinson pled guilty to carjacking with an enhancement for using a firearm, attempted murder, and second-degree robbery with enhancements for using a firearm and committing the crime for the benefit of a criminal street gang.

Both defendants are known associates with the "I-80 Boys" criminal street gang. A third defendant in the case will go to trial in January.

The successful criminal investigation in this case was the result of the work of a multi-agency coalition of detectives from the West Sacramento Police Department, Woodland Police Department, Davis Police Department, Yolo County Sheriff's Department and the Yolo County District Attorney's Office.

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