

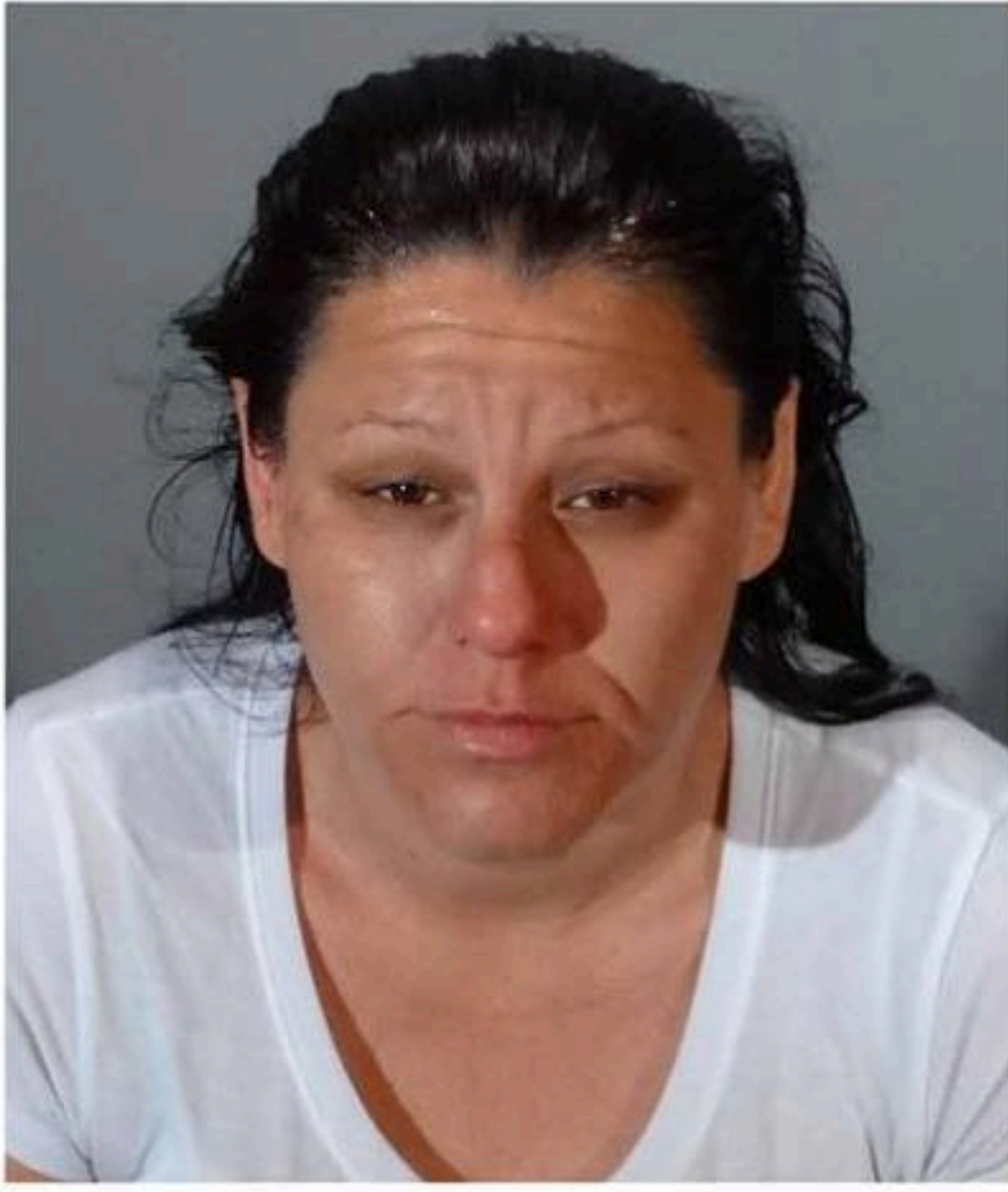


# PALOS VERDES ESTATES POLICE DEPARTMENT INFORMATION BULLETIN

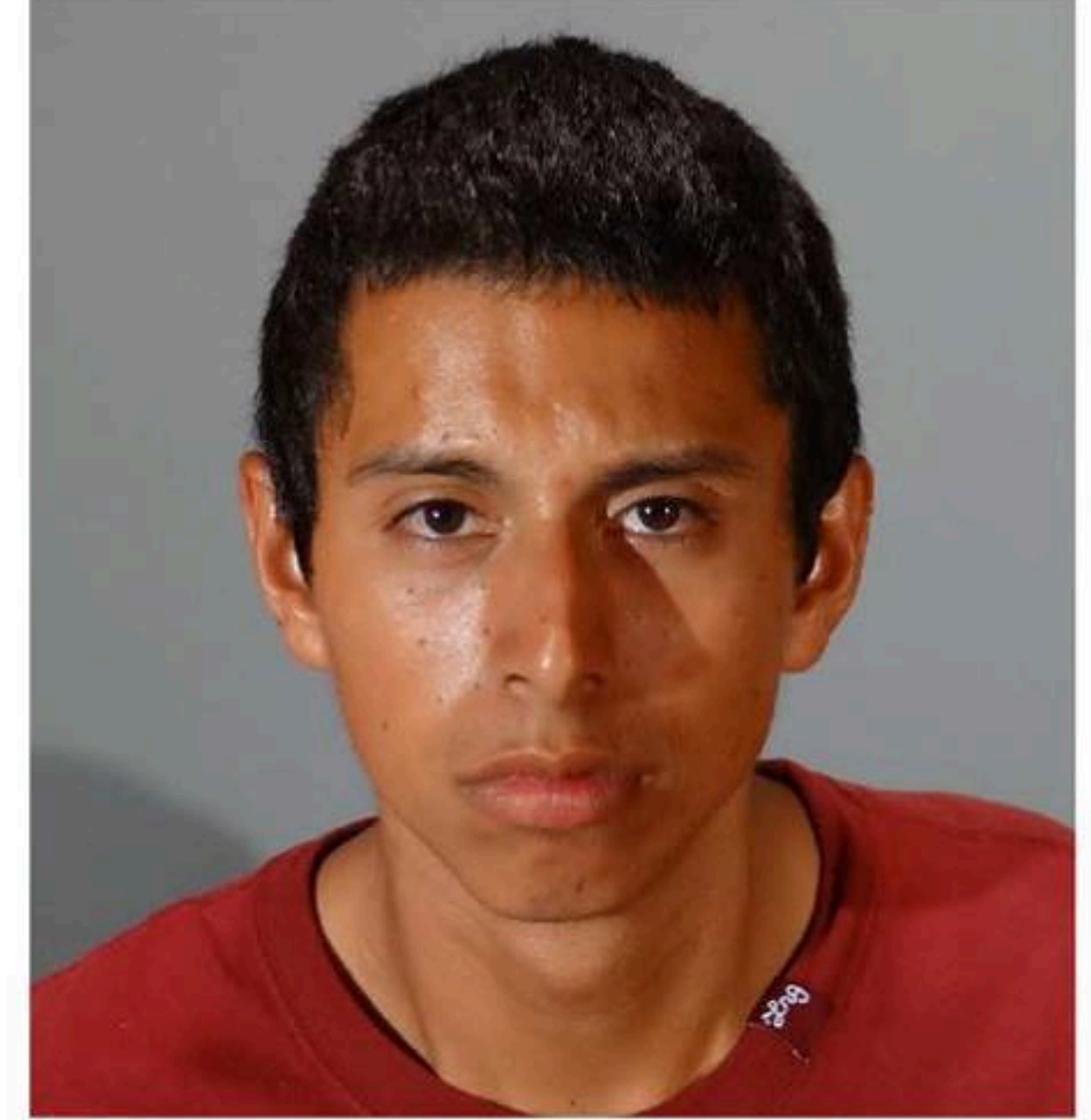


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**JEFF KEPLEY**  
CHIEF OF POLICE



**Holly Handy, 34 years of age**  
**From Bellflower, CA**  
**Arrested by PVEPD 03-24-17**



**Samuel Ramirez, 23 years of age**  
**From Bellflower, CA**  
**Arrested by PVEPD 03-24-17**



On Friday, March 24th, 2017, at about 7:45 am, a PVEPD officer was on patrol and noticed a parked car with a passenger door open in the 1100 block of Palos Verdes Drive West. There was a male pedestrian nearby and as soon as the male saw the police officer, he ran towards the car, entered the passenger side and then the car sped off. The officer was able to catch up to the vehicle and conducted a traffic stop. The officer noticed several items of mail in the vehicle and upon further investigation, officers recovered hundreds of items presumed to be stolen, including checks, mail, credit cards, tax documents, lists of names and DOBs, cell phones and computers. Officers also recovered narcotics paraphernalia and equipment to make/forged checks.

The PVEPD Detective Bureau is actively investigating how the suspects acquired the property and are in the process of contacting victims. Currently, they believe the patrol officer prevented these suspects from stealing any items from PVE, since none of the property appeared to be from our city, but mostly from nearby cities.

CASE #: 17-03419	<b>X</b>	INFORMATION ONLY	WANTED "836"
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