

INDIO POLICE DEPARTMENT PRESS RELEASE

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Date and Time of Release: Sunday, November 27, 2022 / 7:30 P.M.

Date and Time of Incident: Saturday, November 26, 2022 / 6:48 P.M.

Subject: Homicide Investigation – 82900 Block of Via Venecia

Suspect: Anthony William Piña-German, Age 34, of Indio - ARRESTED

Anonymous Information: Coachella Valley Crime Stoppers 341-STOP (7867)

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On Saturday, November 26, 2022, at approximately 6:48 P.M., Indio Police Officers responded to a family disturbance at a private home located on the 82900 block of Via Venecia in Indio. Upon arrival, officers located three male Hispanic adult victims with stab wounds. The three victims were all transported by ambulance to a local hospital. One of the victims died at the hospital, the second victim is in critical but stable condition and the third victim is in stable condition.

The suspect, Anthony William Piña-German, age 34, of Indio, fled the scene prior to the officers' arrival. The victims and suspect are family members and had a dispute prior to the suspect stabbing the victims. No other person(s) were found involved or injured. Based on the circumstances, Indio Police Detectives responded to the scene and assumed the investigation. The Indio Police Department has an ongoing Homicide investigation in conjunction with the Riverside County Sheriff-Coroner's Bureau. The identity of the deceased victim is currently pending by the Sheriff-Coroner's Bureau.

Piña-German was located on November 27, 2022, in El Centro, CA, and was arrested without incident. Detectives transported Piña to Indio where he was processed and then booked into the John J. Benoit Detention Center on one charge of murder and two charges of attempted murder. See attach booking photograph. If anyone has information about this case please call Indio Police Department at (760) 391-4051or to report anonymous information, call Valley Crime Stoppers at (760) 341- STOP (7867).

For more information, contact: Indio Police PIO – (760) 541-4500



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