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## **PRESS RELEASE**

**Brad Kaylor, Chief of Police** 

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**INCIDENT:** \*\* **MEDIA EVENT** - Police are Seeking the Public's Help in the Murder Investigation at Art's Forklift

OCCURRENCE DATE: January 12, 2017 11:00AM MERami

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## \*\* MEDIA EVENT \*\*

On January 27, 2016, Arturo Perez was found murdered in an office area inside of the family owned business, Art's Forklift. Mr. Perez had a gunshot wound to his upper body.

As the one year anniversary of this murder quickly approaches, detectives have exhausted all leads in the investigation and are asking for the public's help.

The Ontario Police Department will be hosting a Media Event on Thursday, January 12, 2017 at 11:00 AM. The event will be held at Art's Forklift, 1946 S. Grove Ave., in the City of Ontario.

Family members of Mr. Perez will be present and available to talk with members of the media about their loss and to seek the public's help in solving this murder.

Investigators will also be present to discuss the on-going murder investigation of Arturo Perez.

At this time, all current employees and family members have been interviewed.

Anyone with information about this incident is asked to call the Ontario Police Department at (909) 986-6711 or Detective Jeff Wentz at (909) 395-2715.

Information can also be reported anonymously by calling WE-TIP at (800) 78-CRIME or online at www.wetip.com