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POLICE SHUT DOWN ILLEGAL MARIJUANA GROW

RIVERSIDE, CA – On June 18, Riverside Police Narcotics detectives served a search warrant at a location in the 1900 Block of Monroe Street. The search warrant was based on information developed during an investigation into suspicious activity at the location. During the search of the location, detectives discovered an illegal marijuana growing operation and seized over 1000 marijuana plants, 2 assault rifles, and a large amount of ammunition.

37 year-old J Ines Avalos-Garcia and 19 year-old Jacial Josue Ibarra-Guzman both of Riverside and a minor male suspect were arrested and charged with cultivation and possession for sale of marijuana and possession of an assault weapon.

Anyone with information on this case is asked to contact Detective Eric Detmer at 951-353-7215.

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