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NEWS RELEASE

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Man Intoxicated at Drive Through

Date/Time: 10/05/2024 – 2:20 am

Location: 650 Sunland Park (Whataburger Drive Through)

Hector Manuel Lopez Jr, 45-year-old, El Paso TX Resident Driver 1:

Vehicle: 2020 Ford F150

Offense: DWI 2nd **Bond:** \$5000 Judge: Reyes

Driver 2: Edgar Gabriel Lucero, 37-year-old, Sunland Park NM Resident

(Deceased)

Vehicle: 2013 Nissan Altima

Driver 3: 35-year-old, Resident of Santa Teresa, NM

Vehicle: 2022 GMC Terrain

El Paso, Texas – On October 5th, 2024 officers from the DWI Task force responded to assist after a report previously had been made of a shooting in the parking lot of 650 Sunland Park Drive (Whataburger). The investigation determined Hector Manuel Lopez was driving while intoxicated and was placed under arrest. The initial shooting call that Lopez was involved in is still being investigated by the Crimes Against Persons Unit.