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## **U.S. Marshals and the Bernalillo County Sheriff's Office Apprehend Violent Fugitive**

**Albuquerque, NM-** On December 14, 2017 The U.S. Marshals Service for the District of New Mexico, and the Bernalillo County Sheriff's Office (BCSO) apprehended Duwin Perez-Cordova.

Duwin Perez-Cordova a known violent offender with an extensive criminal history and a deported illegal alien was apprehended on the 400 block of Western Skies, South East Albuquerque, NM.

Perez-Cordova was wanted out of Bernalillo County on charges of shooting at or from a motor vehicle (with great body harm), aggravated battery with great bodily harm, and attempt to commit a felony (to wit: Murder). It is also alleged that Perez-Cordova was driving a stolen vehicle and within the vehicle was a stolen shotgun.

The charges stem from allegations that Perez-Cordova fired a shotgun at an individual on the 1600 block of Coors Boulevard South West at a laundry/carwash.

After U.S. Marshals and BCSO Deputies received information about Perez-Cordova's whereabouts they undertook an extensive surveillance operation where Perez-Cordova was spotted. Upon an attempt to make contact with Perez-Cordova he locked himself in the apartment and would not adhere to the deputies commands. The deputies maintained their positions and eventually Perez-Cordova surrendered without incident.

United States Marshal for the District of New Mexico Conrad E. Candelaria stated, "The citizens of Bernalillo County and the City of Albuquerque are safer because a habitual, violent criminal offender is behind bars and will be held accountable for the crime committed."

*United States Marshals Service for the District of New Mexico.*

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