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## **Candle Light Vigil in Remembrance of Jose Luis Rodriguez—Sunday 1-year Anniversary of his Murder**

Release Date: Friday, November 28, 2008

On November 23, 2007, Jose Luis Rodriguez, a San Diego City College student, was out with friends celebrating his 18th birthday. While driving a friend home, Jose was shot and killed in front of a condo complex in the 400 block of Woodlawn Avenue in Chula Vista. Jose was one of 3 individuals shot in a South Bay shooting spree that night. Francisco Miranda was also killed; the other victim survived.

Jose, a Sweetwater High School graduate, had already made significant contributions to the community at his young age. He worked at Lincoln Acres Library for 2 years; helping with a homework center, nutrition program, and being a mentor to other youth.

On Sunday, November 30<sup>th</sup> at 4:30 pm Jose's family and friends will hold a candlelight vigil to remember Jose on the 1 year anniversary of his murder at the 424 Woodlawn Avenue in Chula Vista. Prior to vigil family and friends will distribute flyers seeking information on the case and publicizing a \$51,000 reward.

**A picture of Jose Rodriguez is attached to page two of this press release.**

Chula Vista Police are seeking leads in this case. Crime Stoppers is offering a \$1,000 reward for information leading to an arrest. The Governor's Office is offering a reward of up to \$50,000 for information leading to an arrest and conviction. Anyone with any information is asked to contact **Crime Stoppers** at **(888) 580-8477** or send a text or web tip at **[www.sdcrimestoppers.com](http://www.sdcrimestoppers.com)**. **Tipsters can remain completely anonymous.**

**Family will be available for interviews. Crime Stoppers Executive Director, Sally Cox can answer questions about the event at 858 603-9810.**

Chula Vista Police contact is Sgt. Yvette Roullier; she can be reached at (619) 691-5202.

Questions about Crime Stoppers should be directed to Officer Jim Johnson at 619-531-1500 or Deputy Adriana Uribe at 619-531-1547.

For information leading to an arrest, you could receive up to a \$1,000 reward and remain anonymous. The qualification of any person(s) for the reward and the amount of the reward for any person(s) so qualifying will be determined by San Diego County Crime Stoppers, Inc. in its sole discretion. The amount of all rewards given shall not exceed \$1,000. Information must be received on the tip line, (888) 580-TIPS or at Crime Stoppers text and web tip lines.



Jose Rodriguez

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