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## Mid-City Arson Suspect Arrested

*San Diego* - Detectives from the Metro Arson Strike Team (MAST) announced an arrest resulting from a fire deliberately set on the porch of a home in the 5200 Block of Ogden Street. Officers responding to the fire stopped 24 year old Rolando Resendiz who was found walking away from the area of the fire.

Subsequent to questioning by detectives, Resendiz was booked into County jail for two counts of Arson to an Occupied Structure and one count of Arson to Property.

San Diego Fire-Rescue crews quickly extinguished the fire and no injuries were reported. Damage was estimated at \$400.00.

Evidence located by detectives also linked Resendiz to two fires set on March 31, 2015. He is also a suspect in those fires.

The investigation is ongoing.

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