

# ECTOR COUNTY

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#### **PRESS RELEASE** For Immediate Release January 11, 2010 Shooting Incident Update

Ector County Sheriff's Investigators continue their investigation into the shooting death of Jamie Morales.  
Morales was a victim of a shooting incident that occurred early Sunday morning in the 6200 block of West 26th street.

4 other subjects were also shot at that location. 3 were treated at Medical Center Hospital and released and 1 remains hospitalized at the time of this press release.

2 subjects were arrested as a result of the shooting incident.

[Rafael Alvarez Jr.](#) W/M DOB 07/12/1989 was charged with Aggravated Assault with a deadly weapon/family violence. A Felony 2.

[Sunny Hignojos](#) W/M DOB 12/11/1989 was charged with Murder, Felony 1, & Evading, a State Jail Felony.

Both subjects remain in custody, Bond for Alvarez is set at \$50,000.00.  
Bond for Hignojos is set at \$260,000.00

Investigators continue to talk to witnesses.  
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