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***Culver City Police Department***  
**PRESS RELEASE**  
Manuel Cid, Acting Chief of Police

**Assault with a Firearm and Drunk Driving Arrest**

On October 11, 2020 at 4:15 PM, Culver City Police Officers were dispatched to 5547 Sepulveda Boulevard regarding a subject sitting in a blue Suburban, openly drinking alcohol, while two young children were sitting in the vehicle with him. The reporting party stated, the subject drove away northbound on Sepulveda Boulevard.

While Officers were in route, a second person called to report the same subject driving a blue Suburban had just pointed a gun at him and was last seen in the drive-thru line at the Jack in the Box, located at 5400 Sepulveda Boulevard.

Responding units located the suspect vehicle and initiated a traffic stop in front of 10980 Jefferson Boulevard. The Officers were able to de-escalate the situation and detained the suspect without incident. The two children (8 and 9 years old) were safely removed from the vehicle.

The Officers located an unregistered loaded Smith and Wesson 9mm handgun on the front passenger seat, along with two empty bottles of alcohol.

The two children were ultimately released to the care their mother.

The suspect was transported to CCPD and booked. The case will be presented to the Los Angeles County District Attorney's Office for filing considerations for Felony Child Endangerment, Assault with a Deadly Weapon, and Driving Under the Influence of Alcohol.

Anyone with information is encouraged to call Culver City Detective Bureau at 310-253-6300.