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Juvenile Charged as Adult in Fatal Park Shooting

17th Judicial District Attorney Dave Young announced today the filing of murder charges against Israel Jordan Maestas (DOB 06/24/98) in connection with the shooting on December 5 at England Park in Westminster.

Hector Manuel Castillo, 21, was killed and Aaron Castillo, 25, was wounded in the shooting at England Park at 3950 W. 72nd Avenue in Westminster.

Maestas is charged as an adult with second-degree murder (F2), attempted second-degree murder (F3), first degree assault with a deadly weapon (F3), possession of a defaced firearm (M1), possession of a handgun by a juvenile (M2) and Carrying a concealed weapon (M2).

The affidavit is sealed and the District Attorney's Office will have no further comment on the case at this time.

Maestas will be advised at 1:30 today in Division F of Adams County District Court.

The filing of a criminal charge is merely a formal accusation that an individual committed a crime under Colorado laws. A defendant is presumed innocent until and unless proven guilty.

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