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# Man Arrested in Shooting

**Date:** 02-16-2025 **Time:** 05:40 PM

**Location:** 6700 Sambrano

**Victim:** 22-year-old Male, Central, El Paso, Texas resident.

**Arrested:** 32-year-old Efren Martinez, Socorro, Texas resident.

**Charge #1:** Aggravated Assault with a Deadly Weapon

**Judge:** Sullivan

**Bond:** \$100,000.00

**EL PASO, Texas**—On February 16, 2025, at about 5:40 p.m., police responded to the 6700 block of Sambrano for a shots-fired call. As the officers were on their way, they received information that a black SUV had left the scene. Police located the black SUV and conducted a traffic stop and, in doing so, located the 22-year-old victim who had been shot. Fire medical services were requested to transport the victim to a local hospital. Through the investigation, police identified 32-year-old Efren Martinez as the shooter.

On 02-17-2025, Martinez was arrested and booked into the El Paso County Detention Facility with the above-listed bond.

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