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MAN CHARGED IN SHOOTING INCIDENT

Denver District Attorney Mitch Morrissey has formally charged a man today who is accused of illegally shooting firearms at his Denver home with two teenage boys last week. The incident caused nearby schools to be locked down for a time.

Anthony David Gonzales (dob: 11-10-74) is charged with *reckless discharge of a firearm* (M2), *possession of a firearm under the influence* (M2), *reckless endangerment* (M3), and two counts of *contributing to the delinquency of a minor* (F4).

The charges allege that on the afternoon of October 20, 2010, Anthony Gonzales, while under the influence of alcohol, shot a rifle into the air several times outside of a home in the 4300 block of West Custer Place. The charges further allege that he allowed two juveniles to shoot at cars with pellet guns and a rifle from the roof of the home. Damage to the vehicles totaled more than \$2,500.

Gonzales remains in custody in the Denver Detention Center; his bond is set at \$10,000. He is scheduled to appear in Denver County Courtroom 2100 on October 27, 2010, at 10:30 a.m. to be formally advised of the charges.

The two juveniles may also face charges in connection with the case.

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The filing of a criminal charge is merely a formal accusation that an individual(s) committed a crime(s) under Colorado laws. A defendant is presumed innocent until and unless proven guilty. *See Colo. RPC 3.6*

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