



# City of Red Bluff

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### PRESS RELEASE

Case Number: 20-1935

Contact Person: Lt. Hansen

**CRIME/INCIDENT:** Homicide  
**LOCATION:** Foodmax, Red Bluff  
**DATE OCCURRED:** August 3, 2020 at approximately 10:15 PM

**SUSPECT:** Elfego Chavez Acevedo  
36-years old, Hispanic Male, 5'09", Brown/Brown hair, 180-200 lbs, stocky build.

AKAs: Preacher, Feo, and Chavez

**Tattoos:**

Upper right shoulder and bicep area- Aztec design with the letters, "T" "C" on it  
Right forearm- the word "Emmalynn"  
Left shoulder- skull (in light/faded ink)  
Upper back- the word "Acevedo" (in light/faded lettering)  
Upper back of neck- the word "Lauri"  
Upper right chest- the word "Emel"  
Upper left chest- the word "Director"  
Lower left chest- the word "Lauri"  
Stomach (right side)- the word "Locos"  
Lower stomach (under belly button)- the words "Mia Amor Lauri"

**SUMMARY:**

On August 3, 2020 at approximately 2215 hours, Red Bluff Police Department Officers were dispatched to Food Maxx (94 Belle Mill Road) regarding a 52-year-old man who was shot, walked into the business, and collapsed with a single gunshot wound to the upper chest. The victim was transported from Food Maxx to St. Elizabeth Hospital where he died from his injuries.

The subsequent Red Bluff Police Department investigation has identified, Elfego Chavez Acevedo, as the suspect who murdered the victim in this case. Elfego Chavez Acevedo is wanted for murder and is believed to be armed and dangerous. Elfuego Chavez Acevedo is believed to be in hiding in the Rancho Tehama Area but has also been spotted in Corning.

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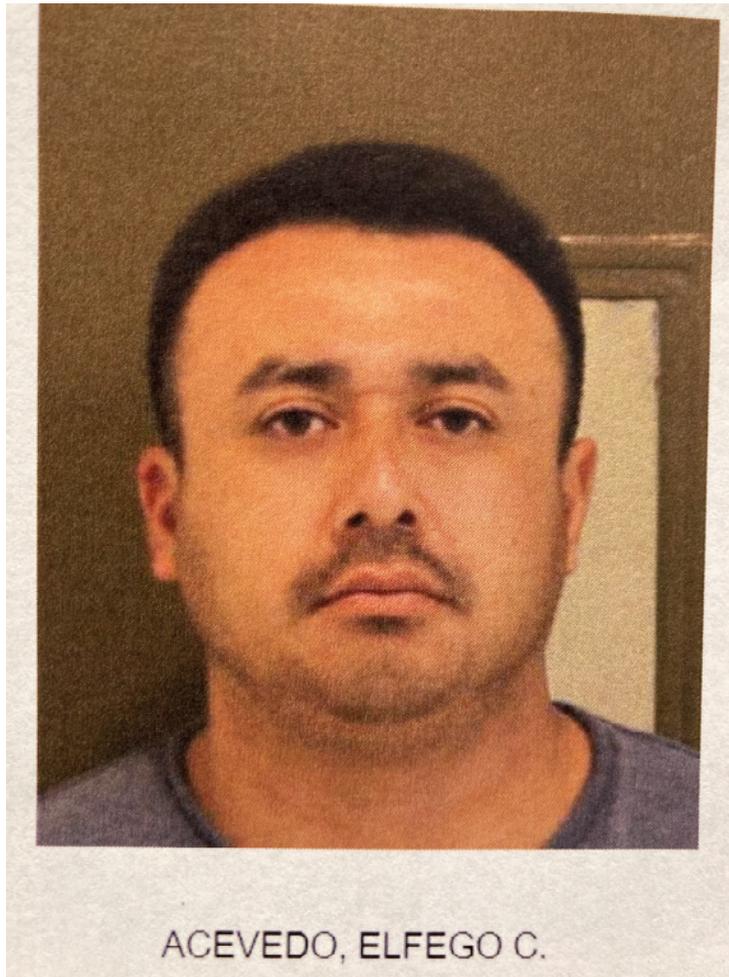
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The Red Bluff Police Department is seeking the assistance of anyone who may have knowledge or information regarding Elfuego Chavez Acevedo's location. A \$5000 reward has been posted for information leading to the arrest and conviction of Elfuego Chavez Acevedo through Tehama County Secret Witness. Persons with information are encouraged to call the Red Bluff Police Department at 530-527-3131 or Tehama County Secret Witness at 530-529-1268. You may remain anonymous.

Lt. M. Hansen #1170

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