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Modesto, California - Stanislaus County District Attorney Birgit Fladager announced today that Javier Corea, age 38 of Livingston, California, was sentenced to four years in state prison for driving under the influence of alcohol.

On January 14, 2016, a California Highway Patrol Officer stopped Corea for speeding. Corea admitted he consumed alcohol and performed field sobriety tests consistent with a person who was under the influence of alcohol. A subsequent blood test determined Corea's blood alcohol content was 0.149%

On April 19, 2016, Corea pled no contest to the felony charge of driving with a blood alcohol over 0.08%. He also admitted having a prior felony conviction for driving under the influence from 2008 and that he committed the offense while out on bail pending felony charges for driving under the influence in Merced County.

Pursuant to a plea agreement, Judge Linda McFadden sentenced Corea to four years in state prison.

Deputy District Attorney Bianca Yip prosecuted the case for the People. Her position is funded by a grant provided by the California Office of Traffic Safety through the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration.

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