NEWS RELEASE

Incident Date and Time: Monday, September 28, 2020
Location: 1000 block of Montgomery Street, San Carlos, CA
Type of Crime/Incident: PC – 3056 – Parole Violation (Felony)
HS – 11364.1 – Possession of Drug Paraphernalia (Misd.)
Suspect: Gary Dekker (44-year-old male, transient)

Summary:
On Monday, September 28, 2020, at approximately 10:30 am, San Mateo County Sheriff’s Office Deputies from the San Carlos Police Bureau responded to the 1000 block of Montgomery Street on the report of a suspicious person going into the backyards of multiple residences on the block. The reporting party provided County Communications with a description of the suspect. Upon arrival, Deputies observed a male who fit the description leaving a yard on the block. Deputies attempted to contact the subject but he fled the scene on foot.

While conducting an area search for the suspect, Deputies located a subject matching the description on the 400 block of Industrial Road. Deputies detained the suspect who was later determined to be on CDCR Parole for burglary and other theft offenses. During a search of his property, Deputies located a used methamphetamine pipe and personal belongings. There were no burglary tools or stolen property located in his possession. At the completion of the investigation, the suspect was placed under arrest for the above violations. An area check of multiple residences on Montgomery Street determined there were no victims of burglary or any other crime.

Any additional victims or anyone who has information regarding this incident may call the San Mateo County Sheriff’s Office Anonymous Tip Line at 1-800-547-2700.

Written by: Sgt. Scott Mueller, San Carlos Police Bureau

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