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## INFORMATION RELEASE

Missing Person at Risk Solano County Sheriff's Office December 6, 2011



On Tuesday, December 6, 2011, at approximately 3:30 PM, the Solano County Sheriff's Office was contacted about a missing developmentally disabled adult in the Allendale area north of Vacaville. A Command Post was established to coordinate a variety of resources involved in the search effort. Deputies responded to the area and began to conduct an extensive search of the area in an attempt to locate the missing person.

The missing person is identified as Storme Palmer, a white female who is 5 feet 2 inches tall and weighs about 140 pounds. Palmer is 20-years-of-age with brown hair and brown eyes was described as wearing a gray sweat shirt and black pants when she walked away from the residence. Palmer resides at a group home in the area. A City Watch message was sent out to the surrounding area within a 2-mile radius asking for residents to be aware of the missing person.

The initial search by deputies failed to locate Palmer in the immediate area and the Solano County Sheriff's Office Search and Rescue Team (SAR) was activated at approximately 4:45

PM. The Solano County Search and Rescue operation consisted of 8 teams and a total of 30 personnel. The Solano County Sheriff's Office Search and Rescue teams utilized two tracking dog teams from California Rescue Dog Association (CARDA,) all terrain vehicle teams, and ground searchers to blanket the area in an attempt to locate Palmer. A CAL STAR helicopter was also utilized during the search using night vision from the air. The American Red Cross also responded and provided hot meals and beverages to the volunteers.

The search continued throughout the night for Palmer and as of 7:15 AM this morning Palmer has not been located and the search operation was continuing utilizing all resources available.

If anyone sees an individual matching Palmer's description, they are being asked to notify the Solano County Sheriff's Office Communications Center at (707) 421-7090.

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