



City of Red Bluff

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PRESS RELEASE

Case Number: 17-2924

Contact Person: Sergeant Bill Williams

CRIME/INCIDENT: Vehicle Theft/Evading the Police
LOCATION: Red Bluff, CA
DATE OCCURRED: 08/25/2016 11:35 AM

SUMMARY:

On August 24, 2017 at about 7:00 A.M.,

Officers from the Red Bluff Police Department were dispatched to the 1000 block of Monroe Street regarding a stolen vehicle. Officers arrived on scene and gathered information regarding the case. The stolen vehicle was described as a silver Lexus GS 300 (plate #7USC727.) The vehicle was entered into the Stolen Vehicle System.

On August 25, 2017 at about 11:35 A.M.,

Officers from the Red Bluff Police Department were dispatched to the 1000 block of Walnut Street in reference to a vehicle matching the description of the stolen vehicle. Officers arrived on scene and the vehicle fled the area at a high rate of speed. Officers initiated a vehicle pursuit.

The driver of the stolen vehicle showed a total disregard for the safety of the citizens on the roadway. The vehicle ran stop signs and reached excessive speeds when the pursuit was terminated in the area of King Road and Wilder Road for the public's safety.

The stolen vehicle was located later in the day by deputies of the Tehama County Sheriff's Office in the area of Live Oak Road. The vehicle was unoccupied at the time. RBPD Officers processed the vehicle for evidence and the vehicle was released to the owner. It was confirmed the vehicle involved in the pursuit was the vehicle reported stolen the day prior. The driver involved in the pursuit is unknown at this time, but the investigation is ongoing.

Sergeant B. Williams

August 25, 2017

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We, the members of the Red Bluff Police Department, are committed to being responsive to our community in the delivery of quality services. Recognizing our responsibility to maintain order, while affording dignity and respect to every individual, our objective is to improve the quality of life through a community partnership which promotes safe, secure neighborhoods throughout the city.