



# MARIN COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE

## Small Unmanned Aerial Systems (sUAS) Team

### Third quarter statistics, 2023

**07/9/2023 – Mission Type: Record evidentiary video of plane crash site for the NTSB.**

**Case: SO23-1804**

**Offense: N/A**

The sUAS team was requested to assist the Marin County Sheriff's Office Patrol Division with the investigation of a plane crash in the area of Santa Venetia. One flight was conducted over the scene of the accident and the video footage was provided to the National Transportation Safety Board (NTSB).

**07/12/23 – Mission Type: Assist the MCSO Patrol Division with a search for a residential burglary suspect.**

**Case: SO23-1846**

**Offense: 459 PC**

The sUAS Team was requested to assist the MCSO Patrol Division with a search for an outstanding residential burglary suspect in the unincorporated area of Mill Valley. One twenty-one-minute flight was conducted in the area. The suspect was not located.

**07/17/23 – Mission Type: Assist the San Rafael Police Department with a barricaded subject.**

**Case: SO23-1889**

**Offense: 245 PC**

The Marin County Sheriff's Office sUAS team was requested by the San Rafael Police Department (SRPD) to assist with a barricaded subject in San Rafael. The suspect was wanted in connection with an assault with a deadly weapon. One sUAS flight was conducted in the area with a duration of approximately twelve minutes. The suspect was ultimately taken into custody without incident by SRPD.

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**09/3/23 – Mission Type: Assist the San Rafael Police Department with locating an attempted murder suspect.**

**Case: SO23-2375**

**Offense: 664/187 PC**

The Marin County Sheriff's Office sUAS team was requested by the San Rafael Police Department (SRPD) to conduct an aerial search for an attempted murder suspect in a marshy area of San Rafael. One fifteen-minute flight was conducted in the area the suspect was last seen. The suspect was not located.

**09/19/23 – Mission Type: Assist the San Rafael Police Department in the search for an assault suspect.**

**Case: SO23-2753**

**Offense: 245PC**

The Marin County Sheriff's Office sUAS team was requested by the San Rafael Police Department (SRPD) to assist with an aerial search for a suspect in connection with an assault with a deadly weapon. Five flights with a total combined flight time of approximately thirty-two minutes was conducted. The suspect was ultimately taken into custody by the SRPD without incident.

**09/19/23 – Mission Type: Assist the MCSO Patrol Division and SAR team with the search for a missing juvenile in the area of Tennessee Valley Road.**

**Case: SO23-2549**

**Offense: N/A**

The Marin County Sheriff's Office sUAS team was requested by the MCSO Patrol Division to assist with the search for a missing juvenile in the area of Tennessee Valley Road. Two flights were conducted with a total combined flight time of twenty minutes. The juvenile was not located during the sUAS search.

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