



CHICO POLICE DEPARTMENT

PRESS RELEASE

530-897-4900

TYPE OF INCIDENT: Large tree down / roadway blocked

LOCATION OF INCIDENTS: N/B Cypress St. / Vallombrosa Ave.

DATE/TIME OCCURRED: 05-02-16 04:20 AM

INCIDENT CASE NUMBERS: 161230045

VICTIMS: none

SUSPECT(s): n/a

NARRATIVE:

A citizen reported that a large tree fell across the N/B lane of Cypress Street (just before it becomes Mangrove Avenue). The tree blocked the roadway a short distance south of the Vallombrosa Avenue intersection. The S/B lane (Pine Street) was not blocked and remained open. Callouts were made for City tree crews and CPD volunteers. It is unknown how long the roadway will remain blocked, however, due to the size of the tree cleanup may take a number of hours.

CPD staff have diverted N/B Cypress Street vehicle traffic onto W/B E. 3rd Street until the tree crew can clear the roadway. Drivers traveling N/B are asked to avoid N/B Cypress Street and use alternate routes.

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