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PRESS RELEASE

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Chico Police Department Event and Arrest Logs
--New CAD System Prompts Temporary Information Delivery--

Chico, CA – As per state law, most police activity is public record. California law permits and requires the release of most police activity to the public. Under the California Public Records Act the Chico Police Department is required to make information available to the public regarding incidents occurring in the City of Chico. This includes the types of crimes, general locations and names of individuals arrested for alleged crimes.

Due to a new dispatch and records software program, for an undetermined amount of time Chico Police Event Logs will include routine and officer initiated event information. This is temporary, as Chico Police Event Logs usually do *not* list all routine calls for service or routine items such as traffic stops, phone messages or follow-up calls. Additionally, all daily log content is reviewed and edited to remove victim information as authorized by specific California Penal Code sections (i.e., juveniles, sexual assault and domestic violence victims).

Chico Police Event and Arrest logs will be made available daily at 10AM for the previous 8AM through 8AM 24-hour time-period.

In addition to the Event and Arrest Logs, Chico Police Department Press Releases are written and released when incidents involving major crimes, bulletins about wanted suspects and items of general community interest occur in the City of Chico. Press Releases are e-mailed to local media contacts and/or posted as soon as possible after an incident to the City website as well as social media platforms.

http://www.ci.chico.ca.us/police/home_page.asp

<https://www.facebook.com/search/top/?q=chico%20police%20department>

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