



Humboldt County Sheriff's Office

826 Fourth Street, Eureka, CA 95501

Date: 01-28-2015

From: Sgt. Jesse Taylor
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Subject: Wanted Fugitive

Case: 201500403

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

On 01-28-2015, at approximately 9:20 a.m., a Sheriff's Sergeant with the Humboldt County Sheriff's Office was attempting to serve civil papers at a residence in the 100 block of Greta Lane, Briceland.

The Sergeant came upon an idling truck in the driveway and attempted to contact the driver. The driver, who was later identified as Dale Dodge Baldrige (age 37), sped out of the driveway and fled towards Old Briceland Road. The vehicle Baldrige was driving became stuck a short distance later and he fled on foot. The Sergeant pursued Baldrige who eventually came upon a small bridge. Baldrige jumped off the bridge and ran across a creek. Additional deputies responded to the scene but were unable to locate Baldrige.

During a search of Baldrige's vehicle, deputies located a large amount of marijuana and suspected heroin.

Baldrige currently has multiple felony warrants for his arrest. Additional charges of resisting arrest, possession of suspected heroin, and transportation of marijuana from this incident will be forwarded to the District Attorney's Office for prosecution.

Anyone with information for the Sheriffs Office regarding this case or related criminal activity is encouraged to call the Sheriffs Office at 707-445-7251 or the Sheriffs Office Crime Tip line at 707-268-2539

Mike Downey
Sheriff

