

## **Humboldt County Sheriff's Office**

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## FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

Humboldt County Sheriff Mike Downey is pleased to announce a Community Response Unit and Crime Tip Line. The Community Response Unit (C.R.U.) is a unit consisting of a sheriff sergeant and two deputies who work with communities and their specific issues. These issues can be a range of criminal activity such as drug dealing, wanted suspects, homeless issues, residential or vehicle burglaries details, etc.

The Sheriffs Office is also establishing a Tip Line, where citizens can call in tips on criminal activity and/ or locations of wanted suspects. Citizens are encouraged to leave their name and contact number on the Sheriff's Tip line; however anonymous information will also be accepted by the Sheriffs Office.

The Sheriffs Tip line number is 707-268-2539.

Mike Downey Sheriff

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